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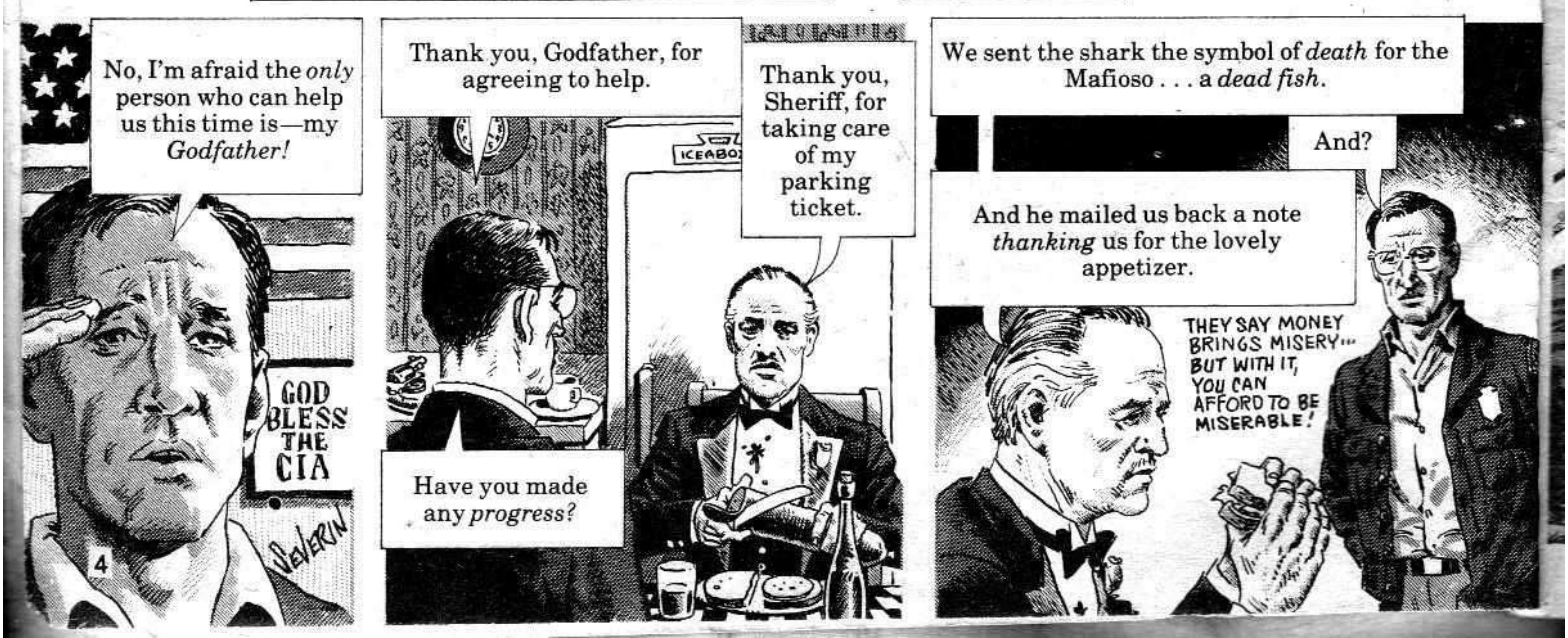
Have you noticed the trend in movies lately? Right—sequels! Well, to make a long introduction short, instead of risking it's money on this type of film, the thing Hollywood should really be doing is combining old box office smashes to create new ones. Just THINK of the possibilities! Wait, we forgot—you're a CRACKED reader. Instead, just READ the possibilities of what could happen

# IF HIT MOVIES WERE COMBINED

## THE GODFATHER AND JAWS



But today, me and the boys will *personally* capture him.

Can *I* come along?

If you *have* what it takes!

What does it *take?*

*Three* pounds of mozzarella cheese—we're gonna make a *pizza* on board.

Isn't this a strange way to go *fishing?*

*We find that a sub-machine gun* catches a *lot* more than a *metal hook!*

Godfather! *Shark* . . . on the *starboard* side!!

What's *that* mean?

The big *fishy* is on the *right* side of the boat!

LET 'EM HAVE IT!!!

BLA-DAM

POW

POW

BLAM

POW

BRATTA-TATTA-T

BRATTATATAT

Your men *missed!*

With *10,000* rounds? *How?*

LA-DA-DE-DA DA-DA-DE-DO

He was wearing a *bullet-proof* vest.

AAAAHHG

Oh *no!* Gentlemen, I'm sorry I ever got my Godfather mixed up in this. What can *I do* to repay you?

Step into these *cement* shoes.

*Wait!* He's *all right!*

Sheriff, I can *promise* that the Great White will *never* bother you again.

Then you've *captured* him?

Not *exactly* . . . I made him an offer he *couldn't* refuse! With a killer instinct like that . . .

I just signed him on to be my new *chief bodyguard.*

# LOVE STORY AND BAMBI

What can you say about a love that disappeared from your life ever so quickly? A love made in heaven, spent here on earth and endorsed by 7 out of 10 orthopedic surgeons. All I can say is that she was a dear. Well, actually, not a dear . . .

. . . but a deer! Her name was Bambino and we met one day on campus.

Hello, deer.

Fresh!

It was love at first slap. In the beginning, she refused to go out with me, but finally she gave in.

Excuse me, but would you mind removing your *antlers*, Miss. I can't *see*.

One day I brought her home even though I knew there'd be trouble. Father was extremely rich and somewhat of a snob.

Father, I want you to meet my future *wife*, Bambino . . .

You're *out* of your *mind!* You can't marry *her!*

You're angry because she isn't *wealthy*.

I am *not!* I'm angry because she isn't *human!* She's an animal!

Despite my father's cruel insult and ardent objections, we married.

Everything was fine until one day . . .

Care to try a *mud*burger, dear?

Darling, you're *sick!*

What makes you think *that?*

Your left antler just fell off!

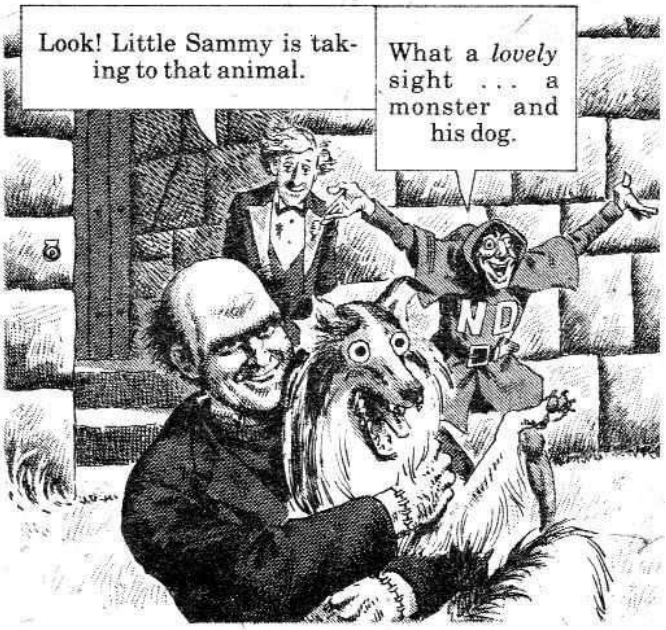
It was true. Bambino was deathly ill—two days later, she was gone. But I will remember her always for a little piece of her remains with me to this day.

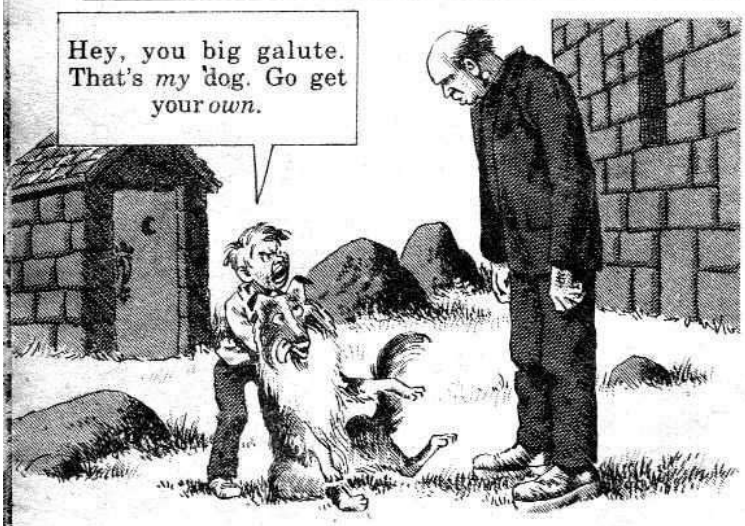
What a *lovely* hat rack you have.

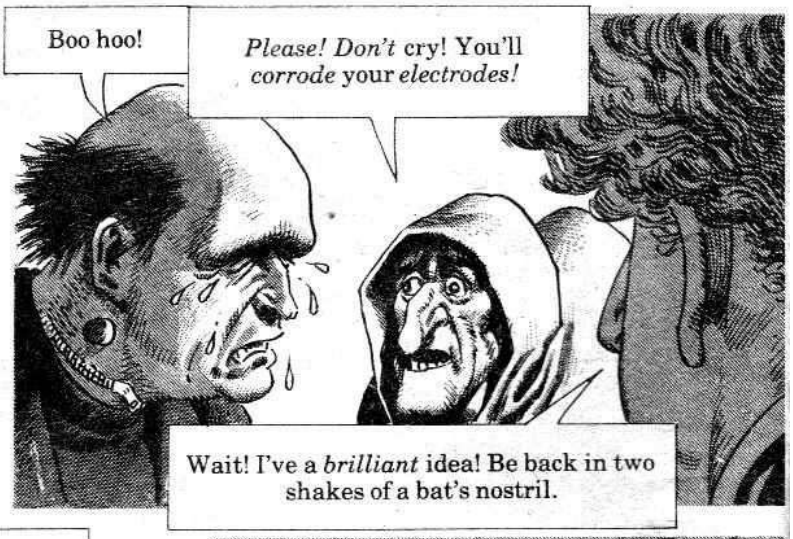
Thank you.

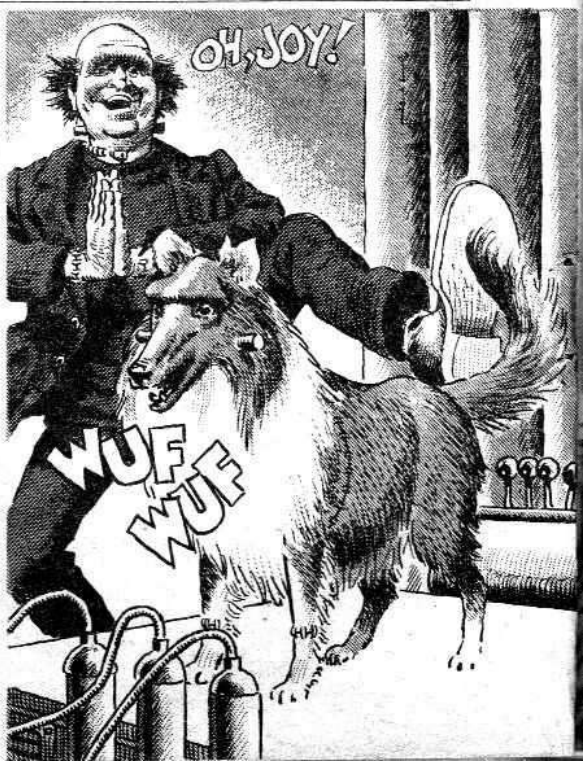
# THE WIZARD OF OZ AND THE EXORCIST

# LASSIE AND YOUNG FRANKENSTEIN





# BONNY AND CLYDE, BUTCH CASSIDY AND THE SUNDANCE KID, MURDER ON THE ORIENT EXPRESS, CAPONE AND THE THREE MUSKETEERS

Have you ever watched a TV commercial and gotten the feeling that they just weren't telling you the whole story? Now, in some circles this is called lying, but in the world of advertising, this is known as "avoiding the truth." Why do this? Well, it's done mostly to sell things. But, CRACKED can't go along with this policy any longer, and we've decided to show you what some of those 60 second dramas you see each night would look like

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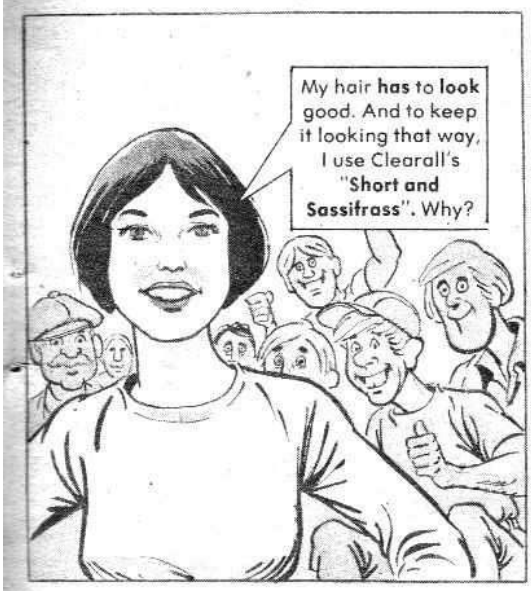
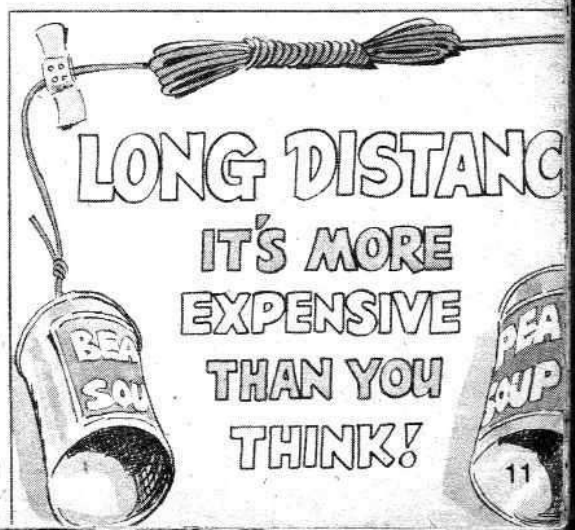
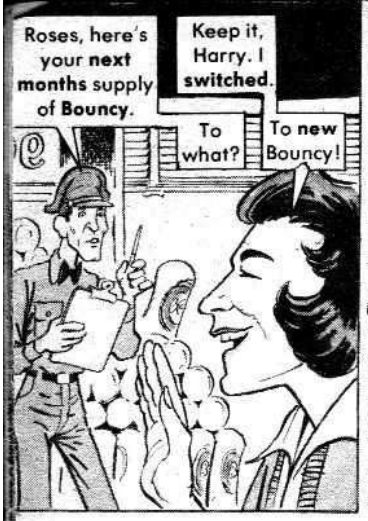


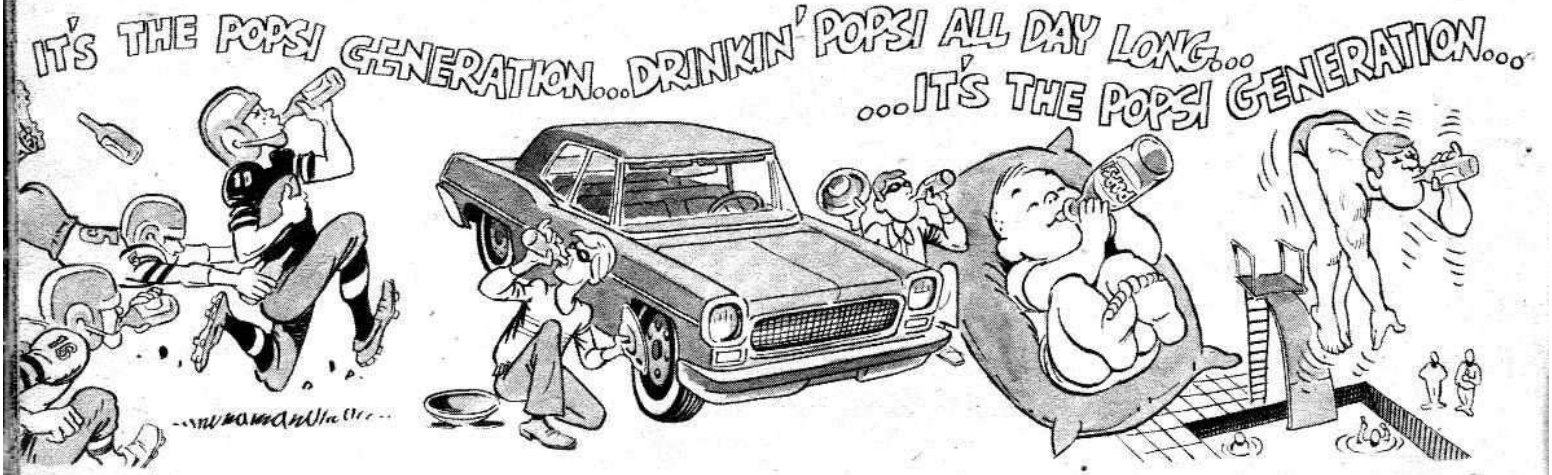



Roses, here's your **next months** supply of **Bouncy**.
Keep it, Harry. I **switched**.
To what?
To **new** Bouncy!

That's pretty neat.
How **you** got the new Bouncy even before the delivery men did!
What's neat?
Connections.

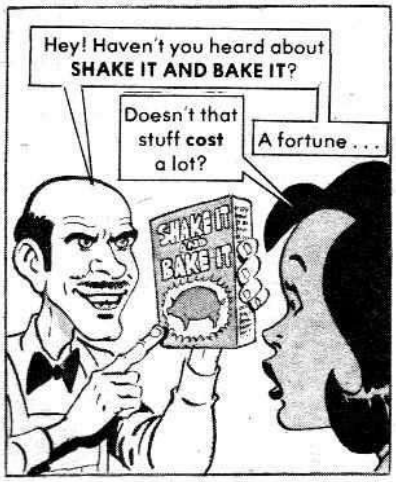
Hey, Roses. What's so **new** about Bouncy?
Look at all the **spilled** coffee it picks up.
But the old Bouncy **did that**!

Yeah, but **that** was because we hid this **vacuum** under the towel!
So, that's how that **single sheet** managed to **lap up** half of Lake Erie!


IT'S THE POPSI GENERATION...DRINKIN' POPSI ALL DAY LONG...
...IT'S THE POPSI GENERATION...

No more **pork chops** for me, Pete. Mine **taste** like **shoe leather**.
How else . . .
How you been **cookin'** them?
RENT SOME BEEF?

With this **flame thrower**!


Hey! Haven't you heard about **SHAKE IT AND BAKE IT**?
Doesn't that stuff **cost** a lot?
A fortune . . .
SHAKE IT AND BAKE IT

. . . but it **can** save you money in the long run.
How?
Well, this stuff adds **absolutely no taste** to the meat . . .
BONES $1.98

LAUNDR
'll give you **$50** for that **shirt**.
Sure!

How about $20 for the **matching** vest?
I got a special on socks—2 for $5.
No.
NO!
All I want is the shirt.

This is to prove a point.
That today's clothes are so **poorly made** that even a weak announcer can **rip them** in two?
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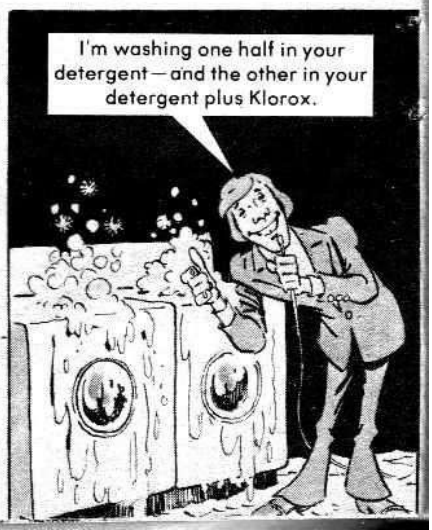
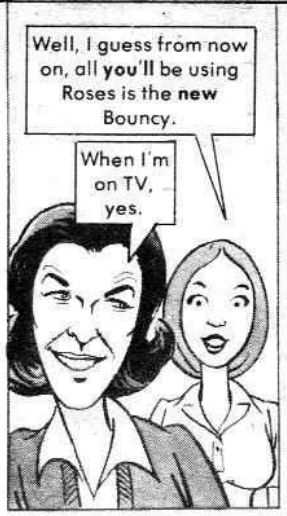
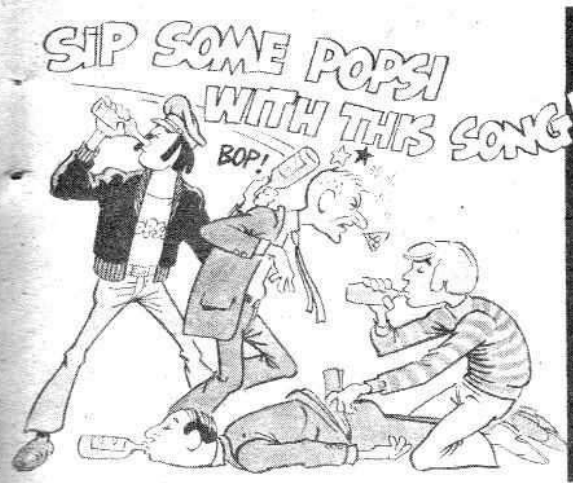

I'm washing one half in your detergent—and the other in your detergent plus Klorox.

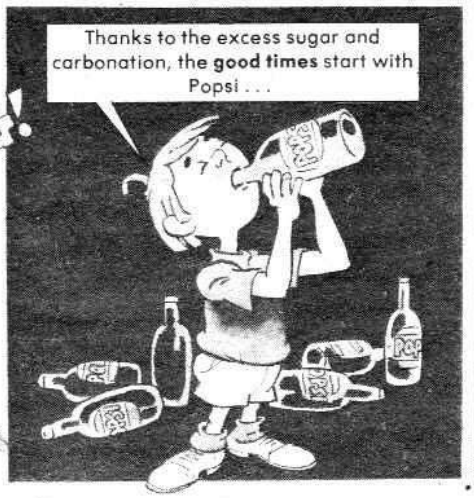
But is it **strong**, Roses?
Watch it hold this cup of coffee.
Wow! Bouncy did it!

Sure! It's easy when you use this prop cup made of styrofoam!

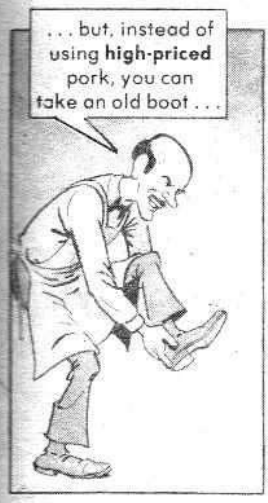

Well, I guess from now on, all **you'll** be using Roses is the **new** Bouncy.
When I'm on TV, yes.

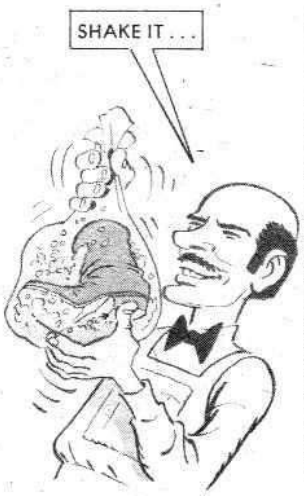
But when I'm home, I'm still gonna use **this.** Why **waste money** on **disposable** garbage, when you can keep **reusing** the same **cloth towel** indefinitely?!!
Now, **that's** smart!
WE SEAT 2000 PEOPLE... 10 AT A TIME!
TRASH

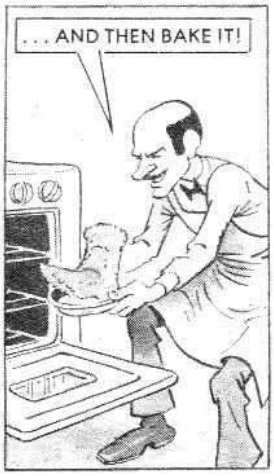

SIP SOME POPSI WITH THIS SONG!
BOP!


Thanks to the excess sugar and carbonation, the **good times** start with Popsi . . .

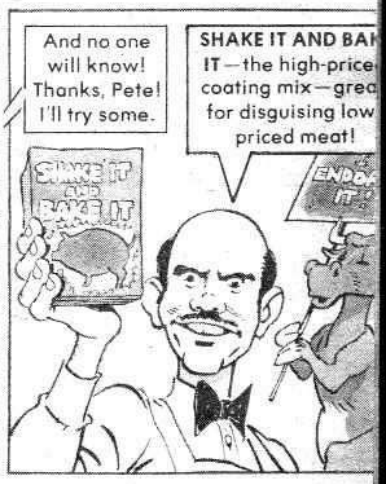
. . . and **end** up with me!


. . . but, instead of using **high-priced** pork, you can take an old boot . . .


SHAKE IT . . .


. . . AND THEN BAKE IT!

Your food will still **taste** like shoe leather—but this time it'll be because **it IS!**


And no one will know! Thanks, Pete! I'll try some.
**SHAKE IT AND BAK IT**—the high-price coating mix—grea for disguising low priced meat!
SHAKE IT AND BAKE IT
ENDO IT

Well, which is whiter?
It's pretty hard to tell since you're using a **blue** shirt!

Yes, but can't you **see** a **difference**?
Why, yes!—The anchovy stains on this half are **gone**! That's amazing!

So the next time you do a wash, **how** are you gonna remove the stains, Mrs.Clodhash?
Same as you just did. I'll **add Klorox** to my dirty shirts . . .

. . . and then substitute **new ones** when I wanna show everyone how **clean** they got!

Unlike some magazines, CRACKED doesn't like to sit back and let the world go by. We like to report trends and fads long before they come about. Why, we were the first magazine to learn of the cod liver oil drinking contests of 1843—(and had we been in existence then, we would have even printed the story we wrote on it.) Well, today, there's another big trend spreading through the country—this time fitness-oriented—which you'll soon learn about when you read

# THE CRACKED GUIDE TO JOGGING

**THE BEGINNINGS**

Some say that jogging dates all the way back to the cavemen when he invented the sport out of necessity.

However, researchers have recently concluded that this was not jogging—it was running! Instead, they maintain Florence Farmingdale invented it on May 1, 1881.

But, whoever the originator, one thing is certain—jogging has never been bigger.

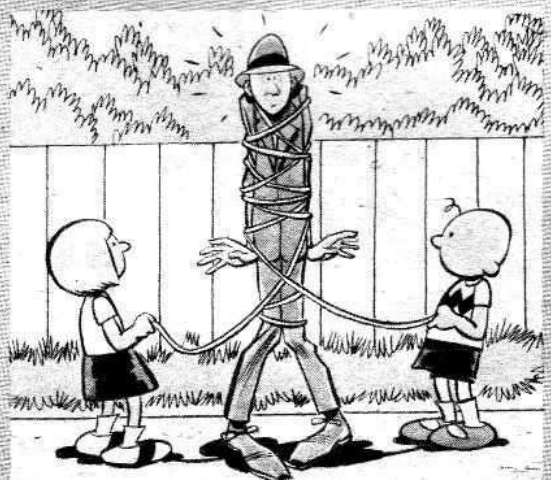
And neither have some of its participants!

**HOW TO BEGIN:** Before you commence to jog extensively, it is very important that you first get into shape.

Start by jumping rope—simply at first, if you have to . . .

. . . progressing at your own pace—always being careful not to exceed your ability.

And while exercising be sure to eat a good joggers diet.



**THE JOGGER'S EQUIPMENT:** So you think that now you're in shape you can just open the door and take off—untrue! For there are a few things you will need to know to make the sport more pleasureable.

Shoes: Not just any shoes will do. Notice the problem this jogger is having.

And this person will also experience some difficulty.

The perfect shoe is a comfortable sneaker.

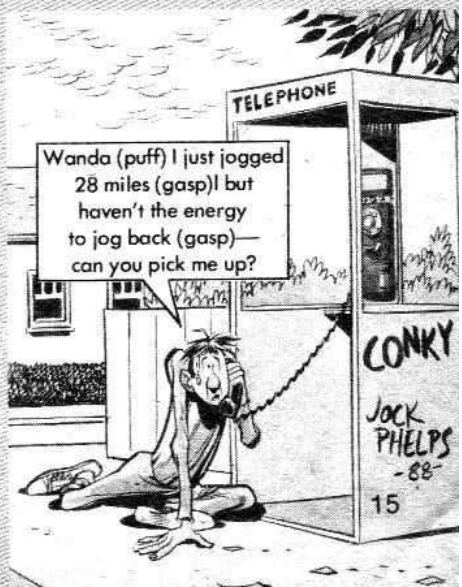
Next, you will need a warm-up suit.

A warm-up suit is used to lock in the heat your body builds up as you jog. This in turn helps you lose unnecessary weight which in turn keeps you fit.

Another thing you will need is a specially designed pair of jogging socks.

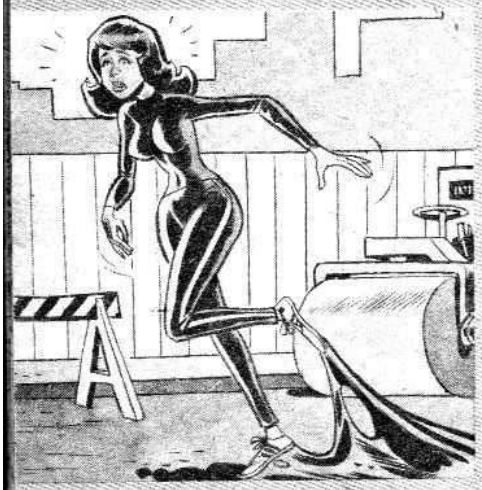
And, if you have long hair, a head band will come in very handy; otherwise . . .

And lastly, it is always helpful to have a dime along.

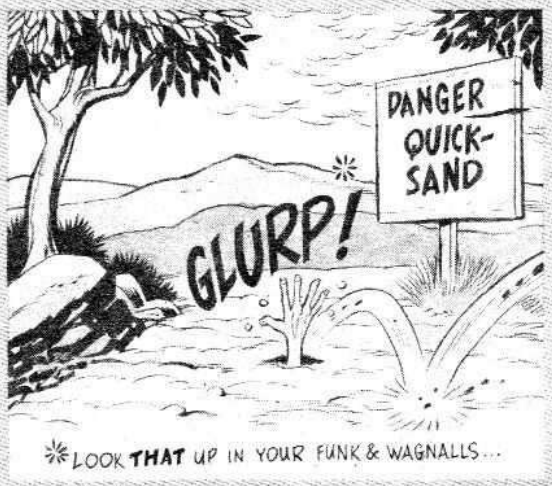


**WHERE TO JOG:** OK, you're in shape and you have your equipment. Now where do you jog? "Unimportant," you say. A lot you know!

For example, jogging on freshly paved roads can be a problem . . .



and along uncharted jungle paths.

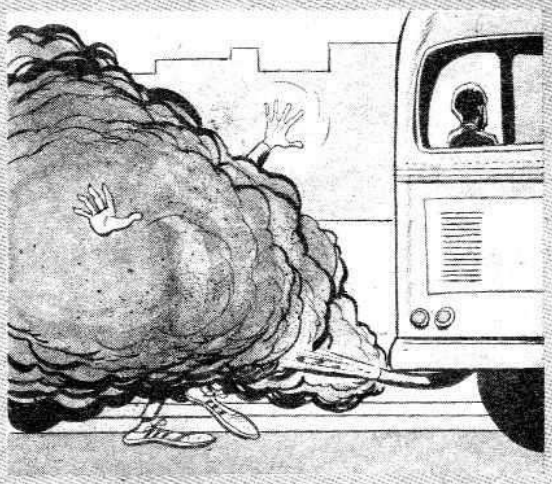



And have you ever tried to run through a puddle whose depth you underestimated.

So where does that you leave you?

Well, bike paths are good, only some bikers get envious when they see a jogger on their turf and try to retaliate.

And along a city street is pleasant, but this too can be dangerous.

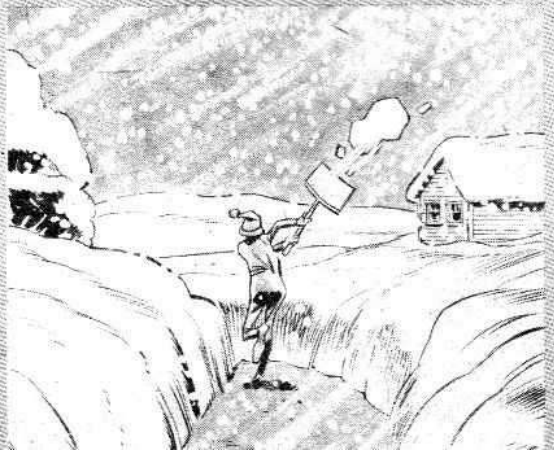


Probably the safest place, where cars can't run you down, is on some major expressway during rush hour.

**THE WEATHER:** What about inclement weather? Should this stop you from doing your daily jogging workout?—No sir!

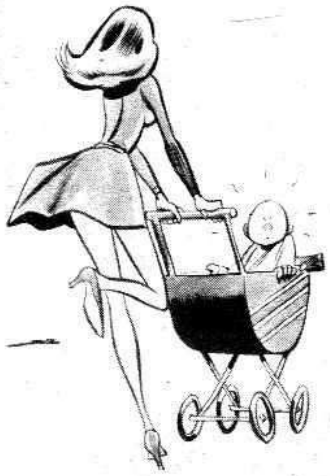
If it rains, dress a little differently.

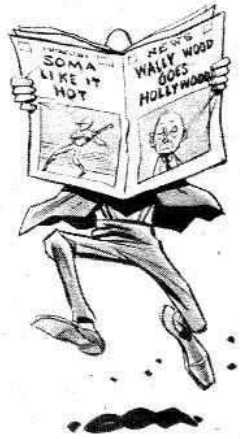
And when the snow comes . . .



Only a tornado may throw you slightly off your daily route.

**WHEN TO JOG:** Some people complain their whole day is filled and thus have no time for jogging. Nonsense! Time can easily be found if jogging is combined with other things, as these people below prove.





**PAIN AND WHAT IT MEANS:** When you're just beginning to jog, you may experience some minor pains. Do not worry. These are normal as we will briefly show.

**PAIN IN LEG**

Neighbor's dog may be clinging to thigh.

**PAIN IN FOOT**

May have small stone in sneaker.

**PAIN IN CALF**

May have sick heffer on your hands.

**PAIN IN NECK**

May have nag for wife.

**CONCLUSION:** Yes, a jog a day, every day, and you'll find all sorts of things happening to you.

Your leg muscles will develop new strengths.

And you'll find jogging curing many ills—including insomnia.

As we see it, the only drawback of the sport is that if it gets too popular . . .

Everyone knows who is running for President on the republican and democratic ticket and what their political platforms are running? How can you vote for them if you don't know who they are? Well, my fellow Americans, your favorite magazine

# A CRACKED LOOK AT AMERICA'S OTHER

## THE AMERICAN INDIAN PARTY

The American Indian Party pledges to put white men on reservation, restore the land, and give the Indians back what is rightfully theirs. If elected, we will . . .

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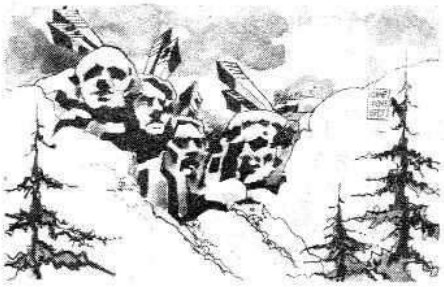
RETRIEVE MANHATTAN ISLAND

RE-DO MT. RUSHMORE



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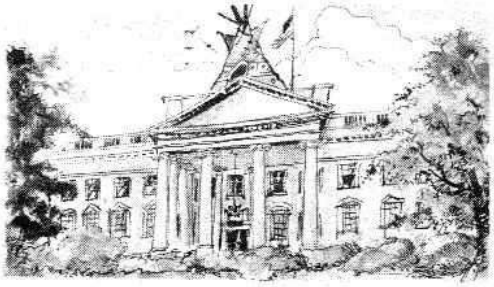
REDESIGN THE WHITE HOUSE

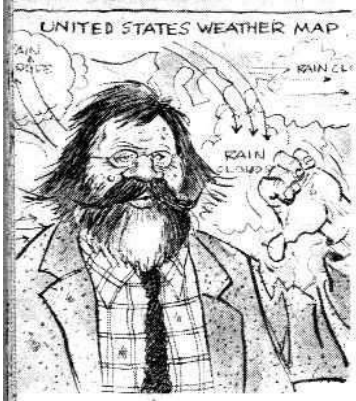


AND RETURN A FAVOR OR TWO

## THE UNITED WEATHER PARTY

The U.W.P. is a group of Americans dedicated to *clear skies* and *starry nights*. If elected, we pledge . . .

TO HAVE A DOME BUILT TO COVER THE ENTIRE UNITED STATES




PRESIDENTIAL NOMINEE: MR. PART LEE CLOUDY

Yes, no more rained-out *picnics!*

And no more *non-beach* days!

And for farmers and rain-lovers . . . *special openings!*

VICE PRESIDENTIAL NOMINEE: MR. SONNY SKIES

It's a **perfect** system to keep a perfect political climate—oh, we **do** acknowledge that taxes might have to go up between 2 to 783 percent to **pay** for this, but isn't it **worth** it?

THE U.W.P. WILL WIN IN NOVEMBER—
**WEATHER** YOU LIKE IT OR NOT!

Campaign motto: We were here first . . . so there!

because TV networks have given them tons of coverage. But what about all the smaller parties that also have candidates comes to the rescue again as we take

# POLITICAL PARTIES RUNNING IN NOVEMBER

## THE GREASERS FOR PEACE PARTY

**OFFICIAL STATEMENT: THE G.O.P.P. IS MADE UP OF ALL THE REAL LOSERS IN AMERICA; SO WE DON'T REALLY EXPECT TO WIN . . . BUT IF WE DO:**

**PRESIDENTIAL NOMINEE:**

**IGNATZIO SCHLEPP**

**VICE PRESIDENTIAL NOMINEE:**

**VINCENT V. VASELINO**

**EVERY THURSDAY WILL BE "BORING DAY"!**

**AND ALL EVENTS WILL START 15 MINUTES LATER THAN LISTED!**

**JUST LOOK AT SOME OF THE FAMOUS LOSERS WHO HAVE ALREADY ENDORSED THIS PARTY: * BENEDICT ARNOLD * GEORGE MCGOVERN * POTSY WEBER * RICHARD NIXON * HUBERT HUMPHREY**

FOR ONCE, GIVE THE LOSERS OF AMERICA A CHANCE . . . WE'RE FED UP WITH PEOPLE WHO ALWAYS WIN!!

**PRESIDENTIAL NOMINEE:** (Sorry! But he didn't have the energy to come down for a picture or give us his name!)

**VICE PRESIDENTIAL NOMINEE:** (Moved and refused to pose again. Rumored that his first name is Ramone.)

## THE DO-NOTHING PARTY

**Every 4 years, America elects a party that promises to do hundreds of things, but end up doing *nothing*. Now, there's a party that says it will do *nothing* and pledges to *keep* that promise!**

***A typical day at the White House will look like this!***

We will **not** raise taxes! But, we will not **lower** taxes either. We'll just **ignore** them!

We will **not** plead to Americans to use less gas nor will **we** try to produce **more**. We'll just try to maintain the present administration's policy by continuing to do nothing.

# THE UNITED FOOTBALL PARTY

Endorsed by the American Rifle Association.

**PRESIDENTIAL NOMINEE:**
**KILLER KADOWSKY**
(Maimed 4 people his 1st season!)

**VICE PRESIDENTIAL NOMINEE:**
**THE KANSAS CITY CRUSHER**
(Broke Mother-In-Laws hand when congratulating her at her birthday party!)

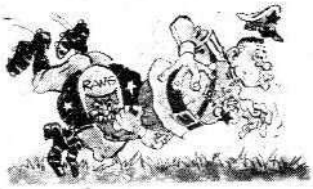
For years, America has been run by intellectuals who have used their brains— now it's time America used a little **muscle**

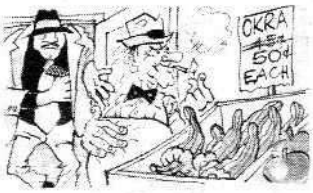
**No more** talking with those that are aggressive to the U.S.—we'll merely **tackle** them and rough 'em **up**.

And, we'll eliminate crime by eliminating criminals— merely by **pulverizing** anyone who looks suspicious.

And, we'll end inflation by simply **maiming** anyone who attempts to raise prices by even a **nickel**.

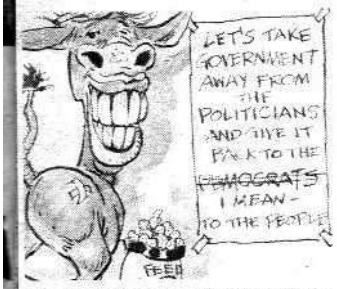
CAMPAIGN MOTTO: AN EYE FOR AN EYE AND A TOOTH FOR AN ARM AND A LEG AND A HEAD AND A KNEE!!






**IT'LL BE A NEW AMERICA—A BLACK AND BLUE AMERICA!!**

**PRESIDENTIAL NOMINEE:**
**G.O.P. *ELEPHANT***




**VICE PRESIDENTIAL NOMINEE:**
**DEMOCRATIC DONKEY**

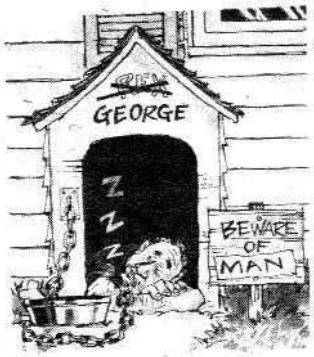
# ANIMALS OF AMERICA PARTY

People find dogs **cute**, cats **adorable** and monkeys **loveable**, but still we have to put up with fetching, sitting up and doing what people want.

***BUT THAT'S IT! WE'VE HAD IT!***

***If elected, A.A.P. will free all rats from labs and turn the tables.***

***And, for a change, people will live in smaller houses.***




***And it'll be the animals that'll be free to roam, while people . . .***

Yes, humans have found us animals **adorable** in movies, on TV and in books. Now lets use this cuteness to **take over**!

**PRESIDENTIAL NOMINEE:**
**SYLVESTER P. SMYTHE**

# THE CRACKED PARTY

**PLATFORM HIGHLIGHTS**

The CRACKED Party can't promise to curb **inflation**
(we can't even curb our own dog.)

The CRACKED Party won't help cure **unemployment**
(unless everyone finds a job first).

Mr. Smythe knows **nothing** about foreign policy
(he thinks it's an insurance policy).
Mr. Smythe's **only** knowledge of busing is that one stops in front of his **house**.

**VICE PRESIDENTIAL NOMINEE:**
**MR. CLEAN**

***HOWEVER*—The CRACKED Party pledges to do something no other party *can*! It'll keep the White House the cleanest it's ever been!!**

**CAMPAIGN SLOGAN:**

# SAGEBRUSH

by SEVERIN + MF

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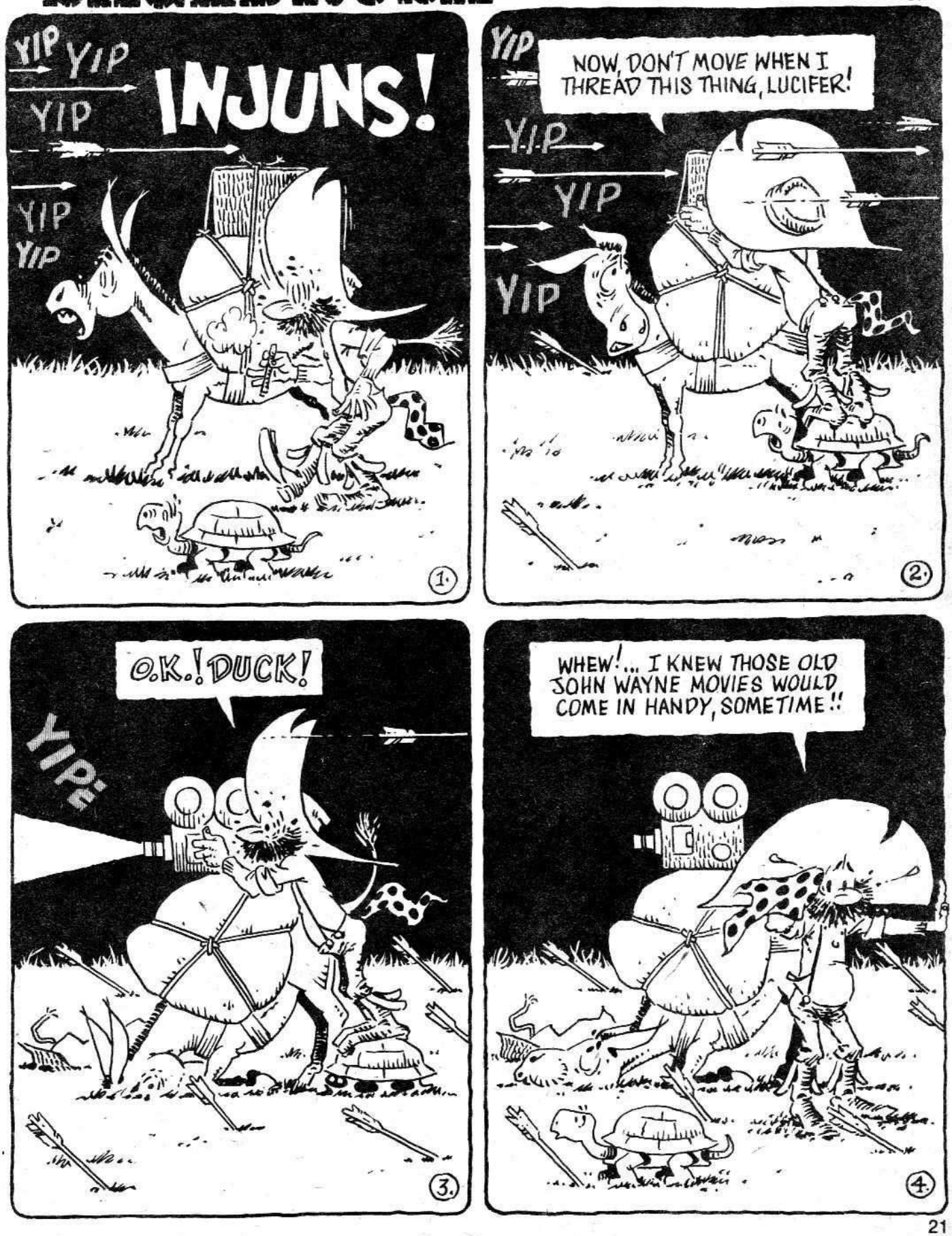

**Most of us are disinclined to wast**
**This hard-hearted attitude *might***
**way o**

# WHAT GOE MONS MI

## MONSTER

- Contempt for harassing torch-bearing villagers ..... 13%
- Disdain for annoying bloodhounds ..... 7%
- Despondency over lack of sex appeal with chicks ..... 50%
- Preoccupation with having unsightly head bolts ..... 12%
- Penchant for picking up wardrobe at garage sales ..... 8%
- Concern over having to take a blood test for marriage license ..... 10%

## LAB ASSISTANT

- Jealousy over monster getting all the attention 25%
- Resentment over having to constantly dig up more body parts ..... 23%
- Rage over lack of job pension plan & other fringe benefits ..... 52%

## MAD DOCTOR

- Concern over power blackout occurring during experiment ..... 33%
- Anxiety over constant increases in the electric power rate ..... 33%
- Annoyance with the rise in number of monster malpractice suits ..... 16%
- Dissatisfaction with bumbling assistant ..... 18%

## FEMALE MONSTER

- Indignation over being given an Afro-hairdo ..... 41%
- Curiosity over woman's lib position on female monsters ..... 37%
- Impatience with the creepy guy in high-soled shoes who's giving her the eye ..... 22%

**any sympathy on movie monsters. be corrected if we had some finding out . . .**

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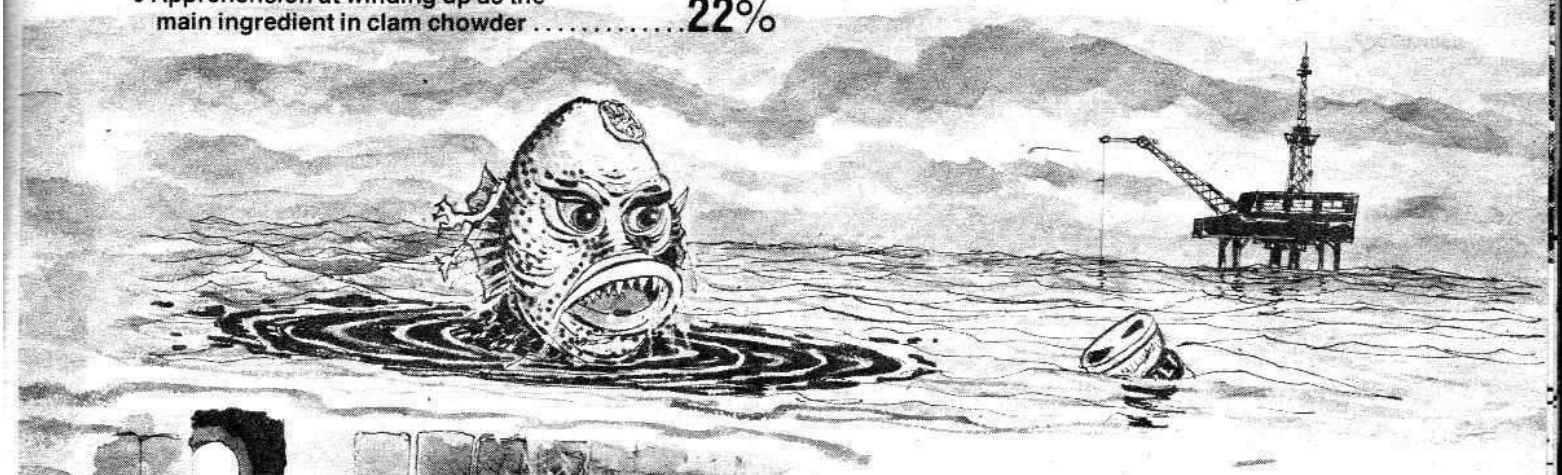
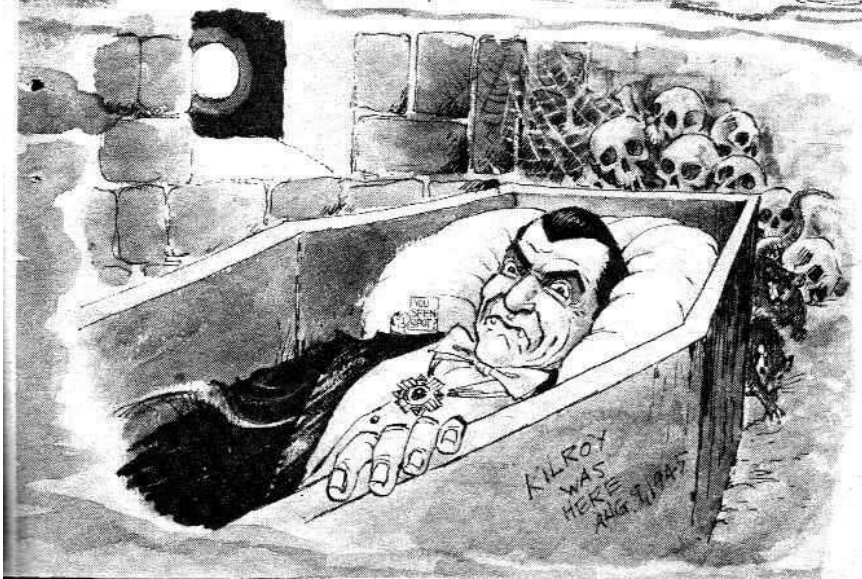
## KING KONG

- Infatuation with Fay Wray ..... 19%
- Compulsion to climb tall buildings ..... 17%
- Worry about where next meal of 10,000 Bananas is going to come from ..... 51%
- Puzzlement over why firebirds attack him every time he climbs the Empire State ..... 11%
- Guilt over having to leave Queen Kong and Kong Jr. back in the Congo ..... 2%

## SEA CREATURE

- Loathing for water polluters ..... 22%
- Annoyance at having to continuously scrape off barnacles ..... 14%
- Contempt for skin-diving spear gunners ..... 11%
- Fondness for old Esther Williams movies ..... 31%
- Apprehension at winding up as the main ingredient in clam chowder ..... 22%



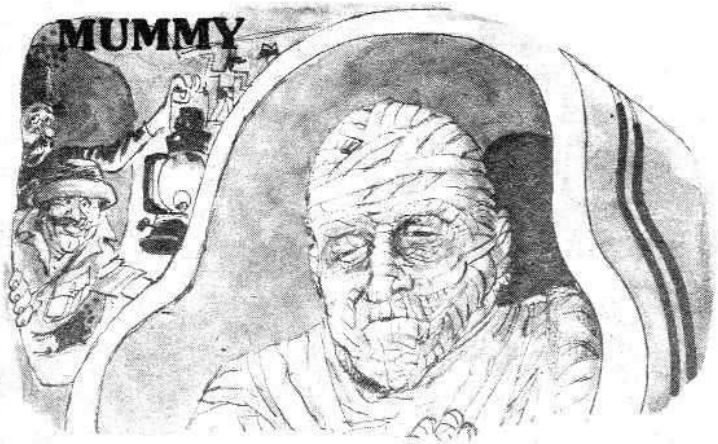



## DRACULA

- Confusion over how daylight saving affects time of sunrise and sunset ..... 11%
- Morbid fear of stakes, wolfbane and marriage-happy vampiresses ..... 31%
- Disdain for slovenly victims with unwashed necks ..... 8%
- Disgust with polyester capes that last only a few years ..... 9%
- Anxiety over root canal work that has to be done on Fang ..... 25%
- Fear of biting someone with hepatitis ..... 16%

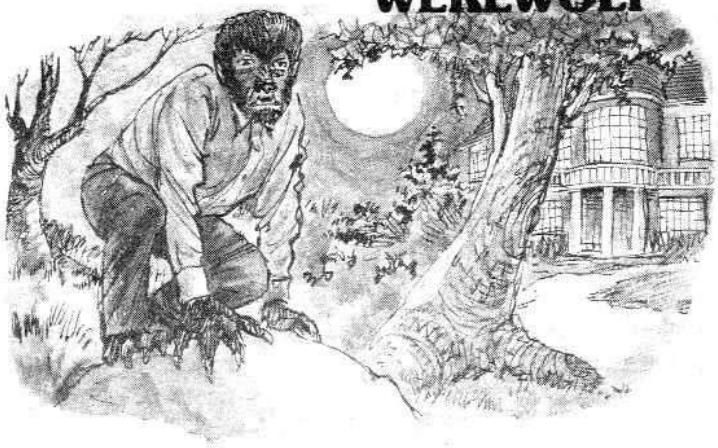
- Fear of inquisitive archeologists and grave robbers ... 31%
- Curiosity over whether Blue Cross membership entitles one to fresh bandages ... 15%
- Musings on the riddle of the sphinx ... 12%
- Despondency over winding up in a museum ... 22%
- Anxiety over developing claustrophobia ... 20%

## MUMMY



- Confusion over whether to apply for two social security cards ... 39%
- Guilt over listing self as a tax dependent ... 23%
- Concern over identity crisis ... 38%

## WEREWOLF



## FLY CREATURE

- Passion for rancid, smelly garbage cans ... 24%
- Remorse at compulsion to leave specks on ceilings ... 17%
- Yearning for an antidote to D.D.T. ... 31%
- Concern over abundance of fly paper ... 28%

## WITCH

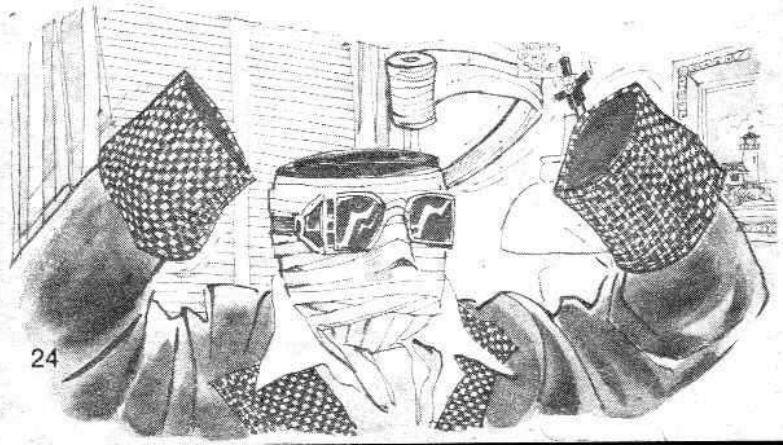
- Grief over the injustices of Salem ... 39%
- Annoyance at broom splinters ... 18%
- Despondency over the approach of the 500th birthday ... 43%

## INVISIBLE MAN

- Preoccupation with peeping tomism ... 35%
- Vexation at being overlooked in the last census ... 38%
- Distress at never being able to catch a waiter's eye ... 32%

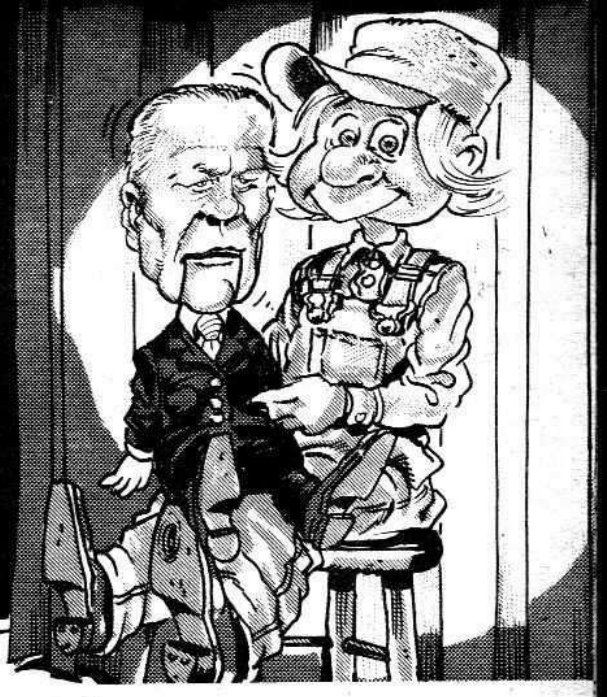
## DR. JEKYLL & MR. HYDE

- Preoccupation with dandruff problems ... 24%
- Concern over premature baldness ... 17%
- Enthusiasm for the rock musical "Hair" ... 10%
- Fondness for TV shampoo commericals ... 9%
- Infatuation with a circus bearded lady ... 28%



The other day in the office someone remarked, "Aren't the special effects on TV amazing—the way they make 28 hours of prime-time drivel almost seem like intelligent human beings put it together!" Well, we got to thinking how that was achieved and when we couldn't, someone else shouted, This sure is a dull conversation, but I bet it would make a great introduction for

# THE ART OF VENTRILOQUISM

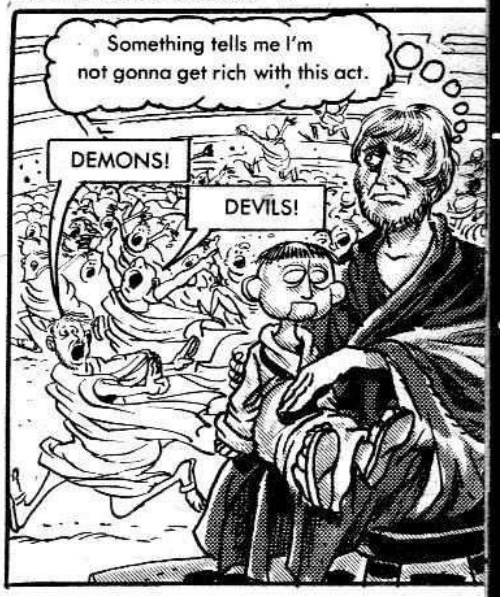


## I. A BRIEF LOOK BACK

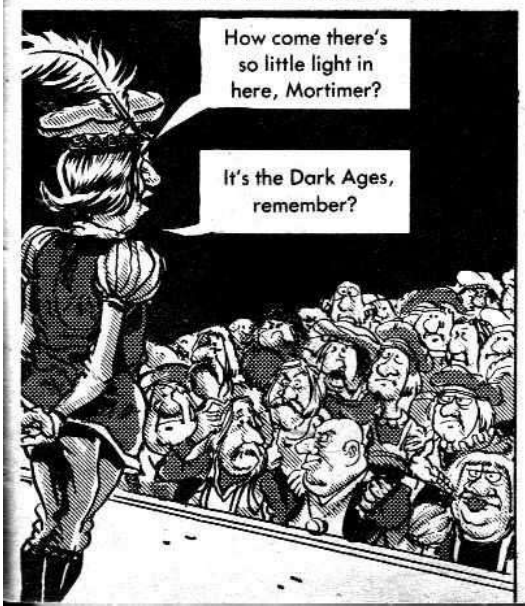
Since the beginning of time, man has been entertaining audiences with ventriloquism.

And for just as long, others have been trying to learn the secret.

The Greeks thought the art was the work of demons . . .

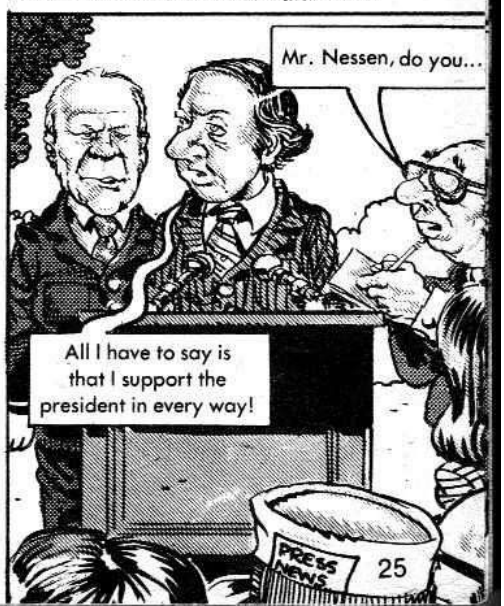



. . . while the people of the Dark Ages were puzzled (mainly because the performers stopped using the dummy in their act.)




Today, ventriloquism acts are attracting larger audiences than ever before . . .

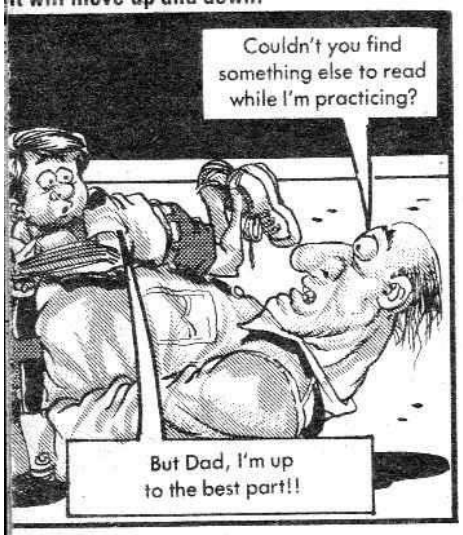
. . . with the art more sophisticated and the dummies more life-likethan ever.



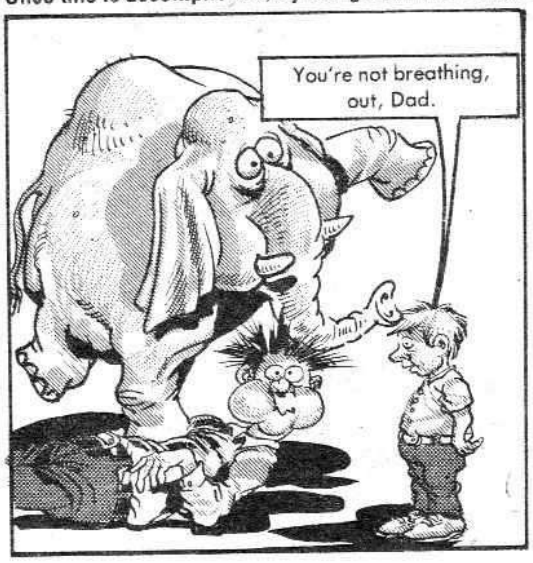
## II. BREATHING CONTROL

In order to become a first-rate ventriloquist, a person must learn how to breathe correctly; that is, from the diaphragm. Here are a few simple exercises to try.

First, lie on the floor, placing a book on your stomach. If you are breathing correctly, it will move up and down.




Once this is accomplished, try using a heavier weight.

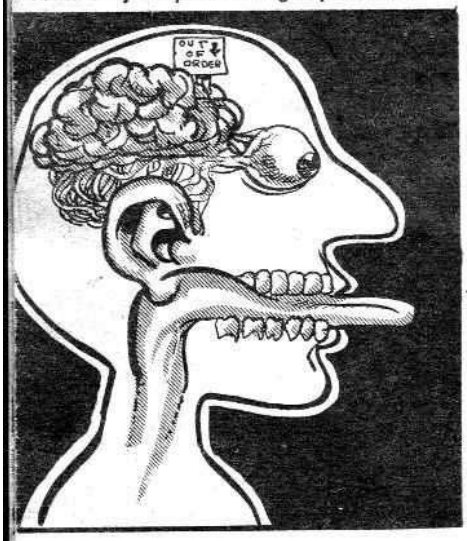



A third breath control exercise worth trying is . . .

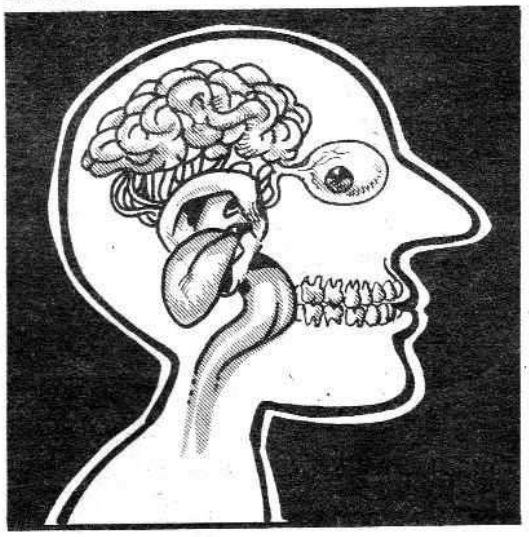
## III. THE VOICE

A ventriloquist must have two voices—his own and his dummy's. To get your "second voice," your tongue must be placed in the right position.

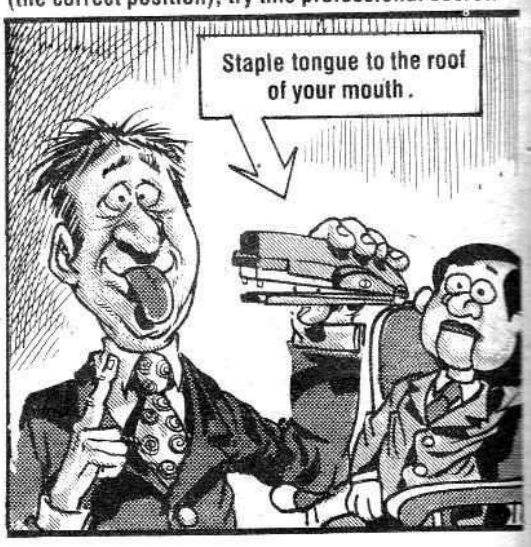
This diagram shows one of the most commonly misplaced tongue positions.




As does this.



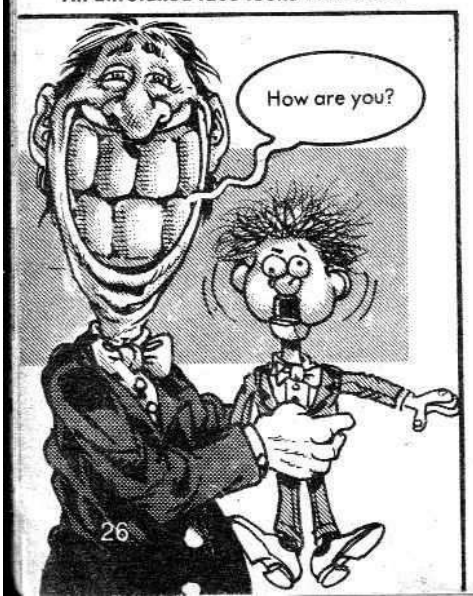
To keep your tongue on the roof of your mouth (the correct position), try this professional secret.



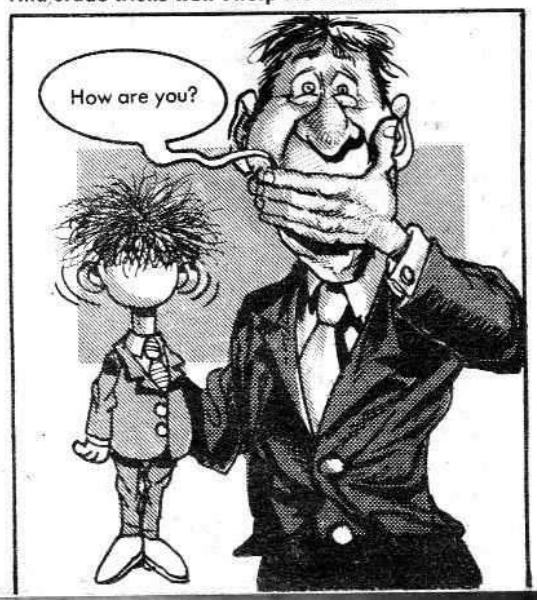

## IV. RELAXING YOUR FACE

The next step to practice is relaxing your face when using your ventriloquist's voice.

An unrelaxed face looks unnatural.




And crude tricks won't help the matter.




Of course, we must confess, not everyone can carry off a ventriloquism act.

## V. HOW TO KEEP YOUR LIPS FROM MOVING

One way is to pay all its rent in advance. Or you might try one of these clever tricks that the professionals use.

Since "P's" and "B's" are hard to pronounce, a pro will get around these sounds by substituting others.

Or he will try another ploy. Can you spot it?

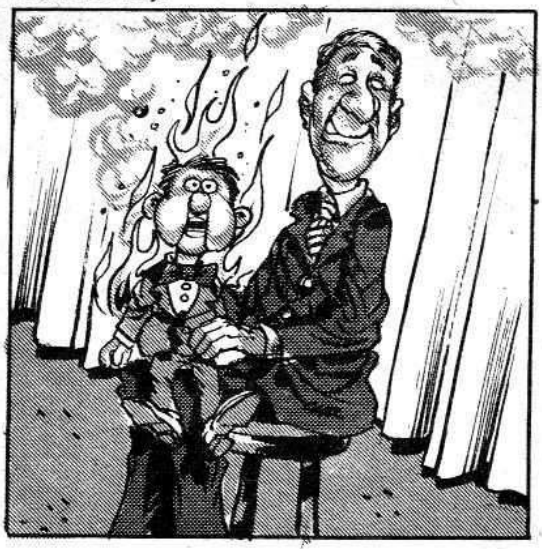
Right! The performer had his lips slightly open.

Or the oldest trick of all.

While performing, however, the lips will sometimes move. The expert ventriloquist will use certain tricks to divert people's attention from his mouth.

He might try performing with his head slightly turned away from the audience.

Or avert the audience's attention in another way.

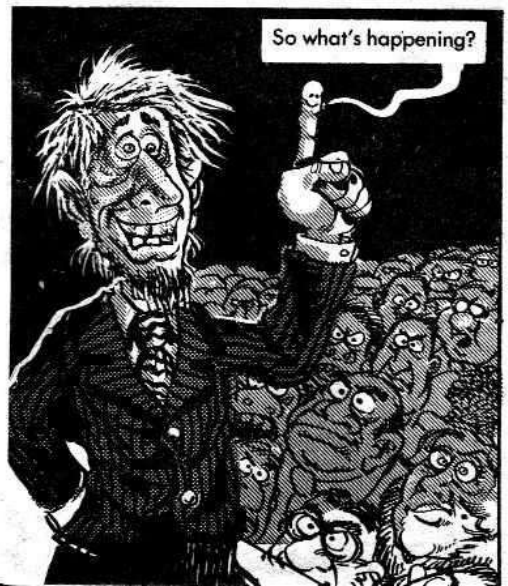


Or the performer might even use his free hand to distract them.

## VI. THE DUMMY

Once the voice is mastered, it is time to turn your attention to this next great consideration.

If you are just starting out, the cheapest dummy available is the finger puppet.



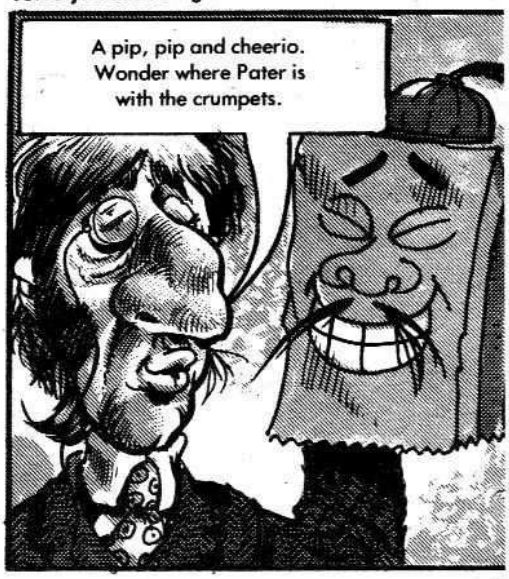

Or, you might try using this simple, inexpensive puppet.

Or better yet, why not make a paper bag dummy. First you must locate a paper bag . . .

Then take it and paint a face on it.

Finally! Viola—you have a paper bag dummy!

One last important thing—the dummy should always express the personality and voice you are using.



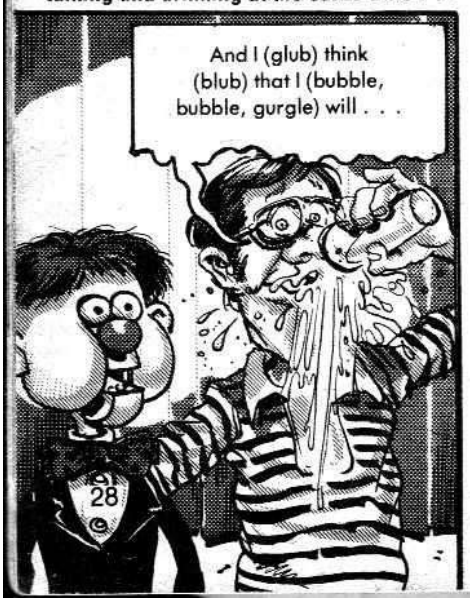

## VII. ADVANCED TECHNIQUES

Many hours should be spent learning how to manipulate the dummy so he looks real.

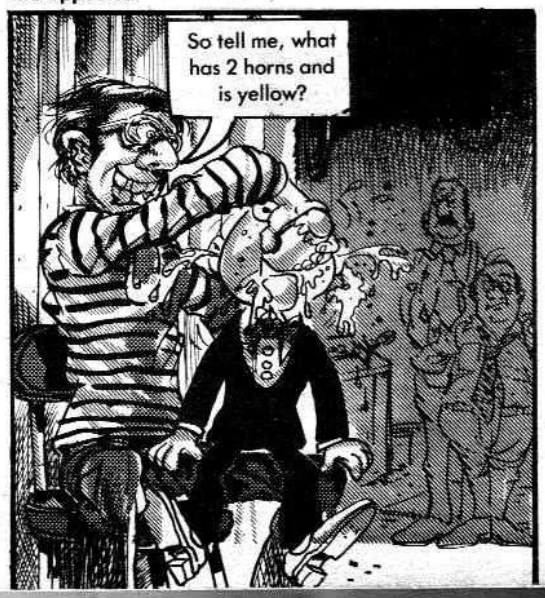
When starting out, many performers wonder what to talk about. For openers, try things of a topical interest.

If this doesn't work, try keeping your chatter on a simple "yes and no" level.

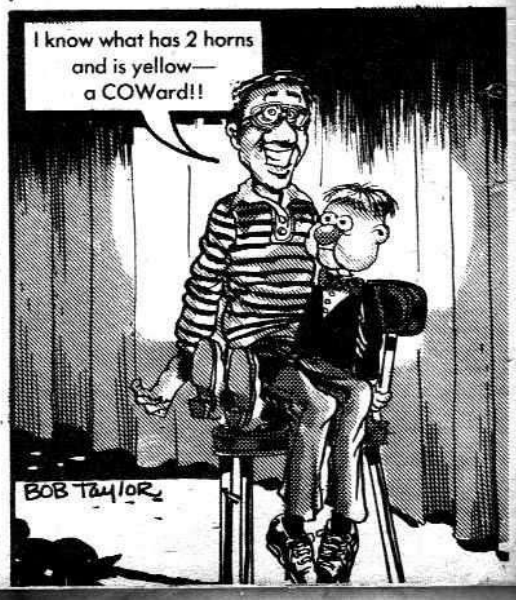
A more advanced ventriloquist can try talking and drinking at the same time . . .




. . . or he might work up slowly to the opposite.

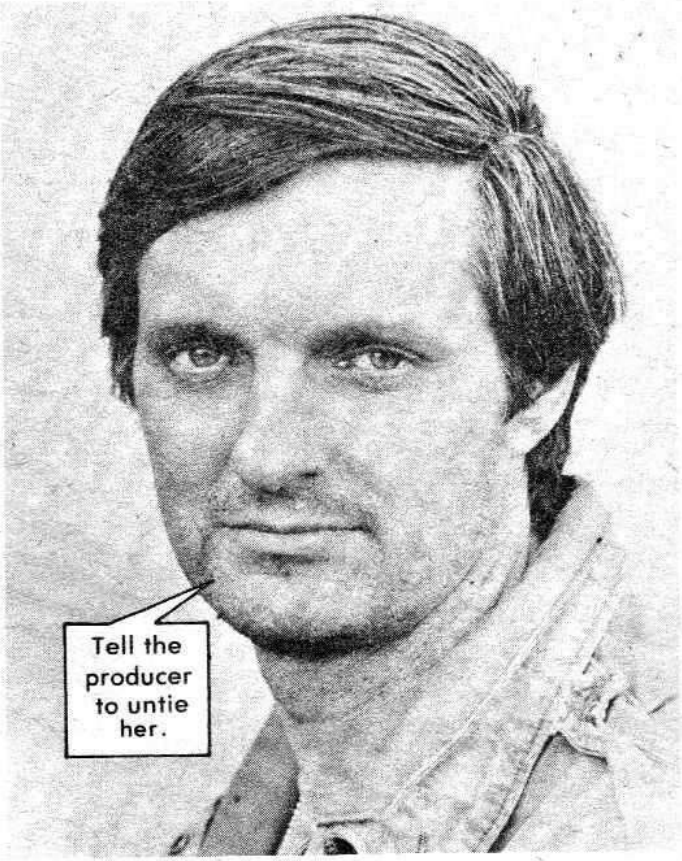



But when you finally become a real pro, you'll be able to do the best trick of all.

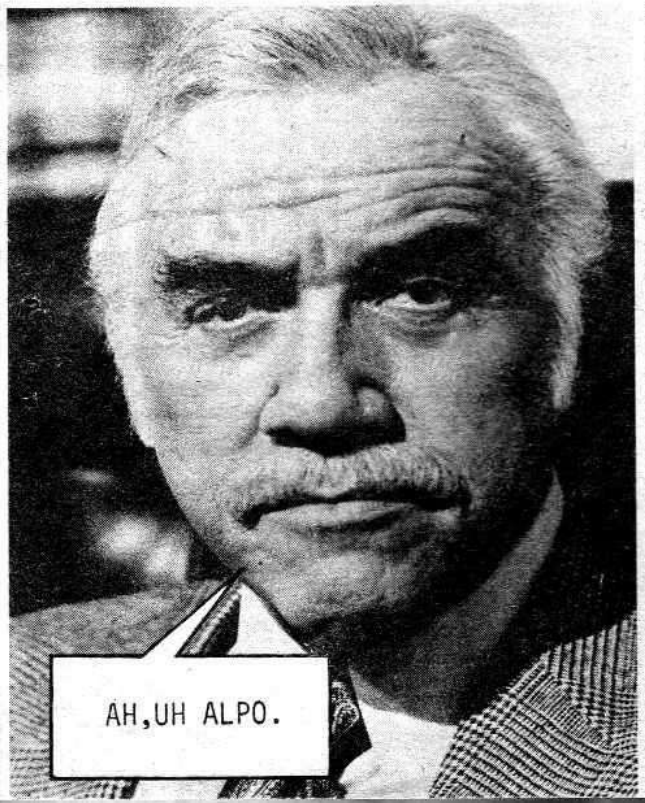


# CRACKED'S INQUIRING PHOTO-GRAPHER VISITS THE STARS

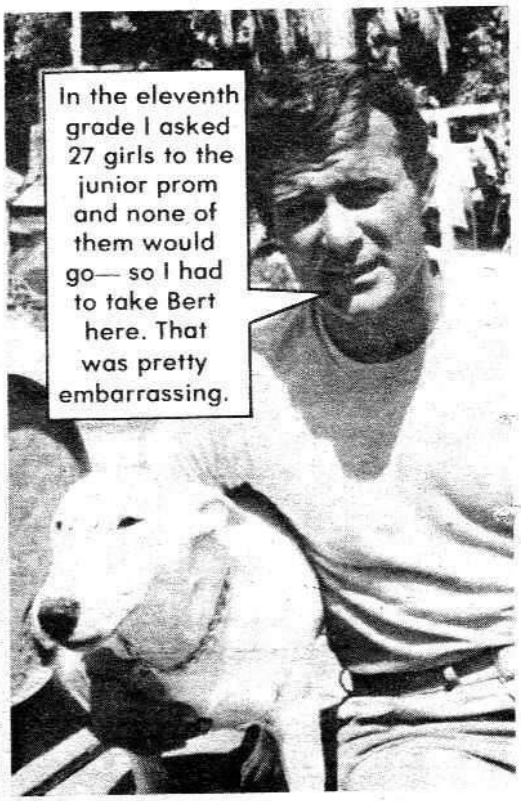
**WHAT WOULD BE YOUR ADVICE TO STRUGGLING YOUNG ACTRESSES?**



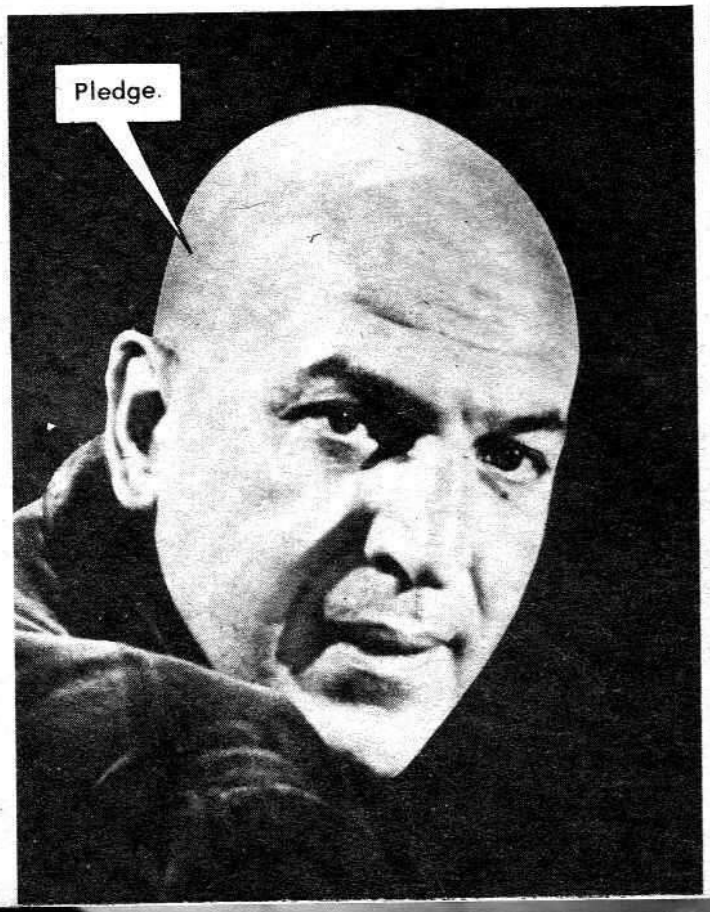

**CAN YOU TELL US WHAT YOUR FAVORITE DISH IS?**

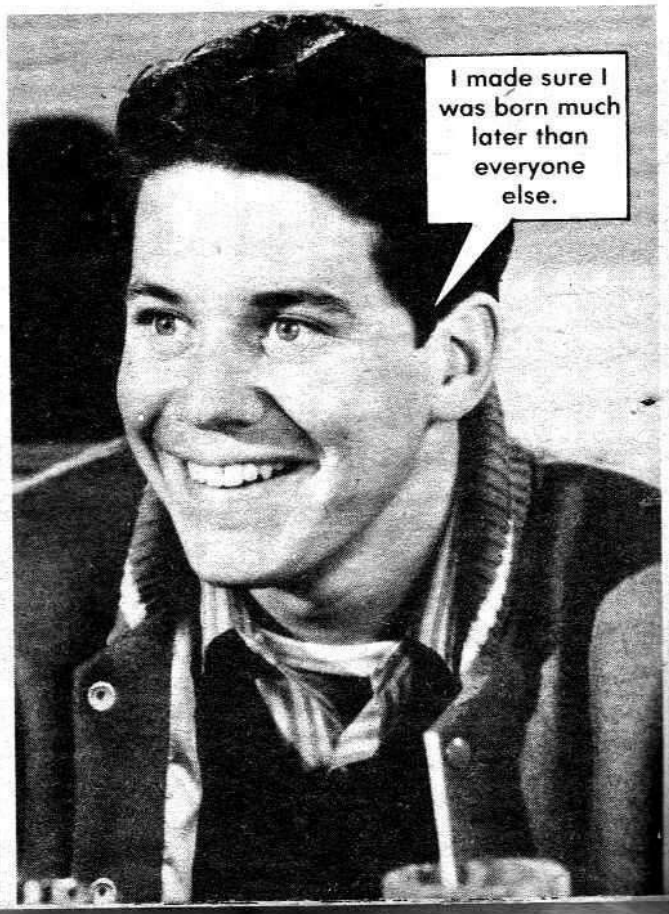


## WHAT WAS YOUR MOST EMBARRASSING MOMENT?

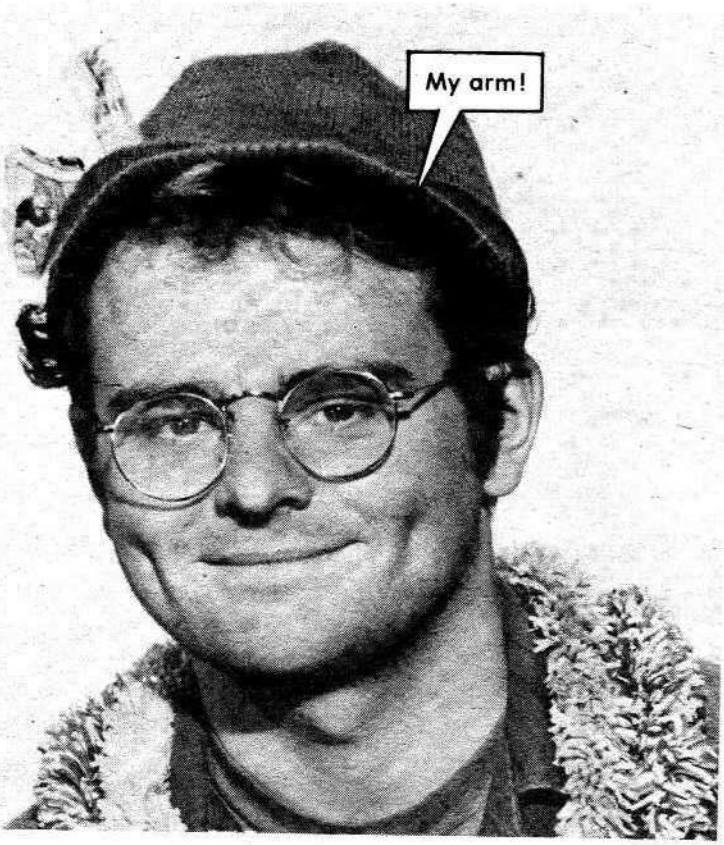


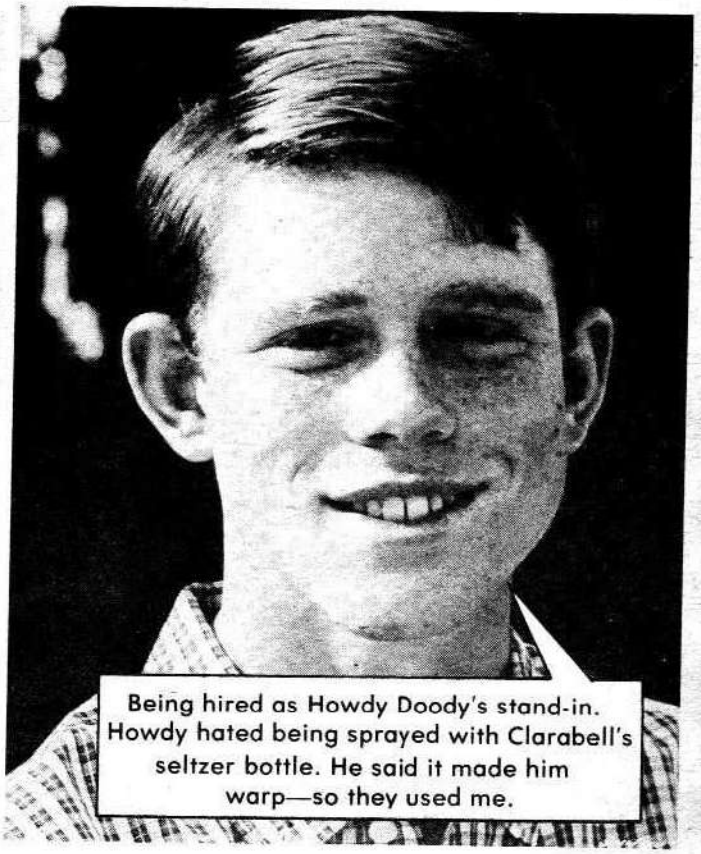

## WHAT'S YOUR SECRET FOR LOOKING SO YOUNG?



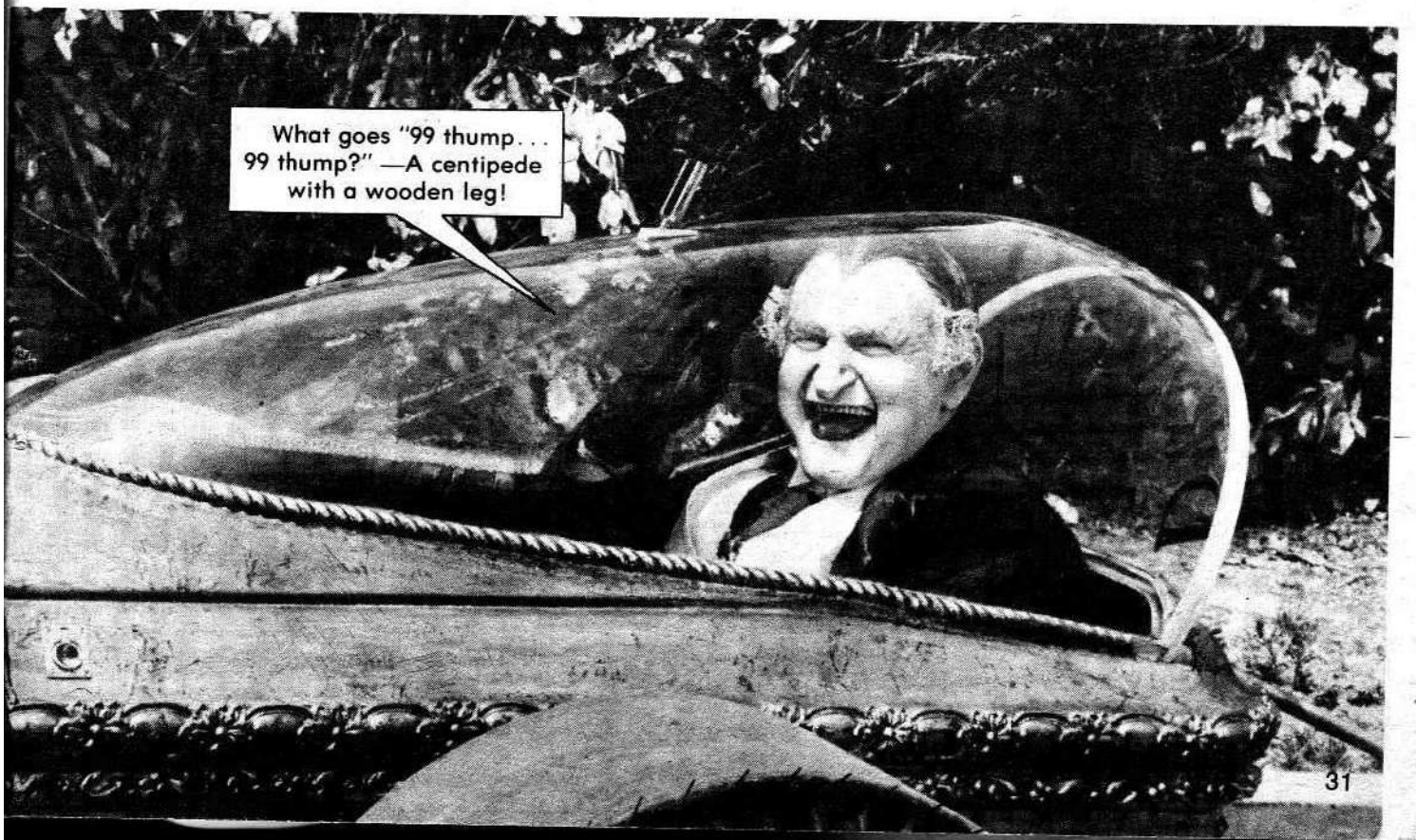



## WHAT WAS YOUR FIRST BREAK IN SHOW BUSINESS?

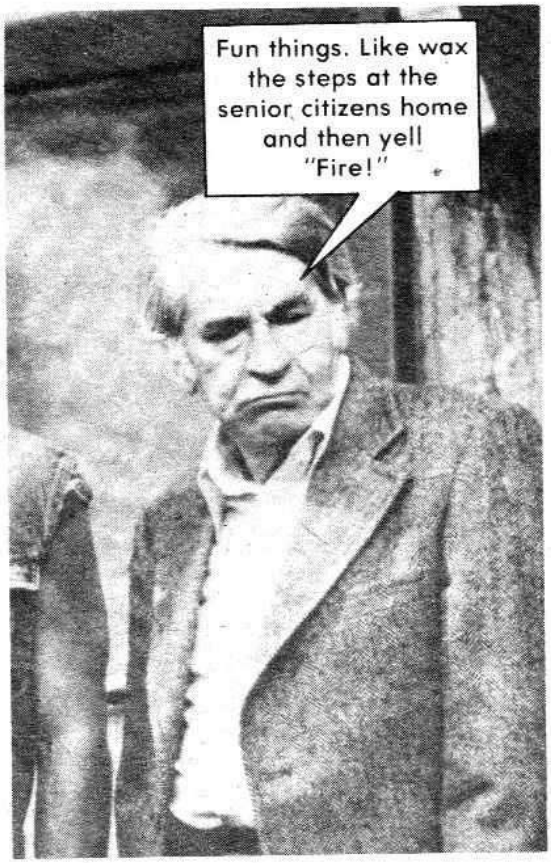


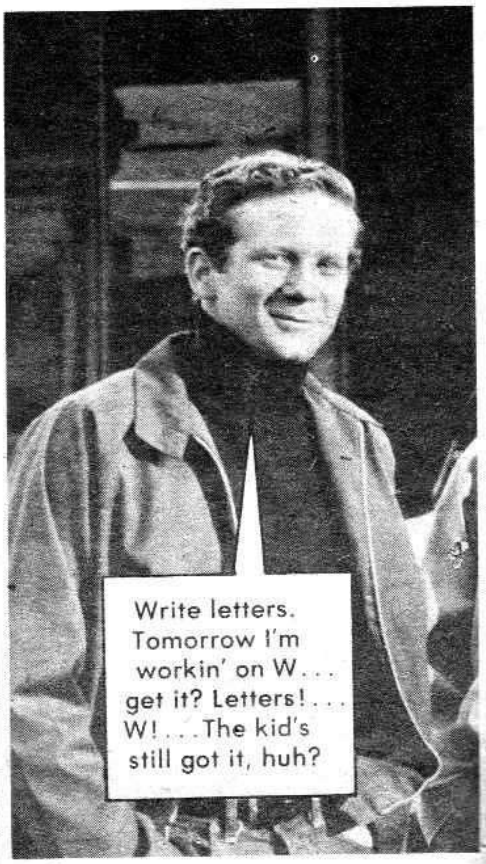




## CAN YOU TELL US THE BEST JOKE YOU'VE HEARD RECENTLY?

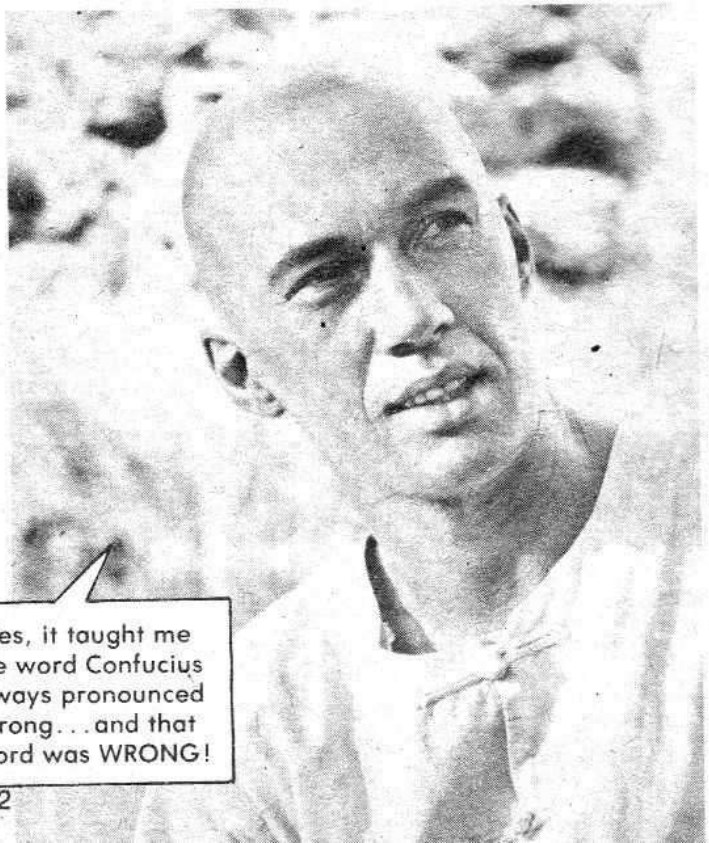


## WHAT DO YOU LIKE TO DO IN YOUR SPARE TIME?

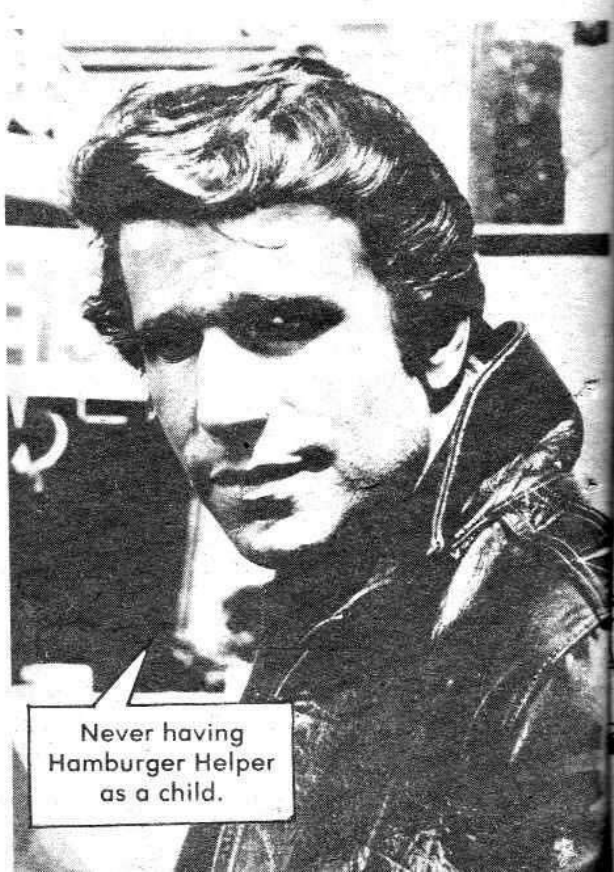



## DID DOING "KUNG-FU" ON TV ALL THOSE YEARS TEACH YOU ANYTHING?



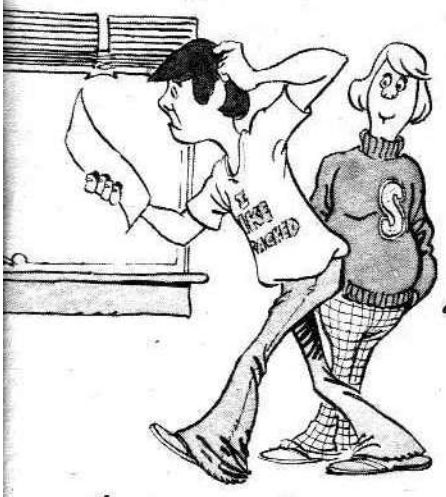

## WHAT'S THE ONE THING IN LIFE YOU REGRET MOST?



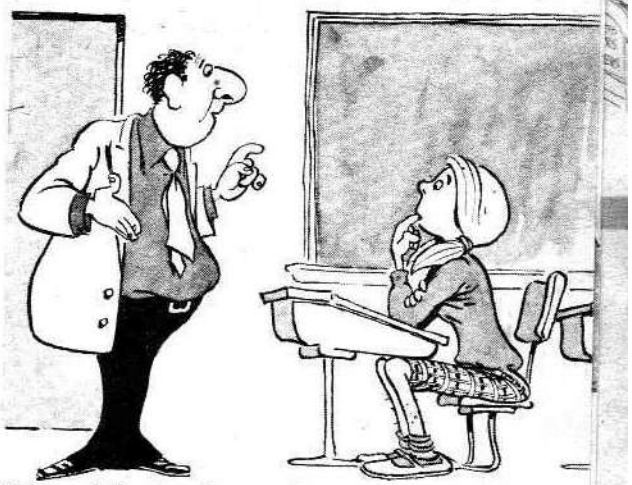
# ISN'T IT ROTTEN IN SCHOOL WHEN...

...you're 18 years old and you still have to ask for permission to go to the bathroom!

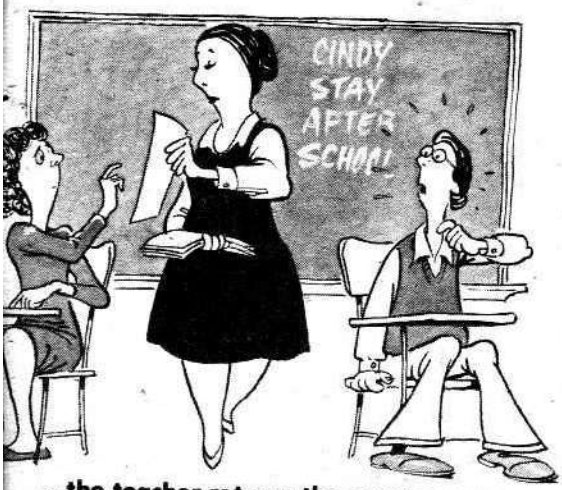
...you raise your hand courteously, keep it up for long minutes, and someone shouts out the answer anyway!



...the papers are given back and there's no way you can decipher the teacher's written comments!



...you ask a question and the teacher explains in the same confusing way as before---and you're afraid to ask again because you don't want to look dumb!




...the teacher returns the exam papers in descending order of grades and the pile in her hand gets lower and lower!

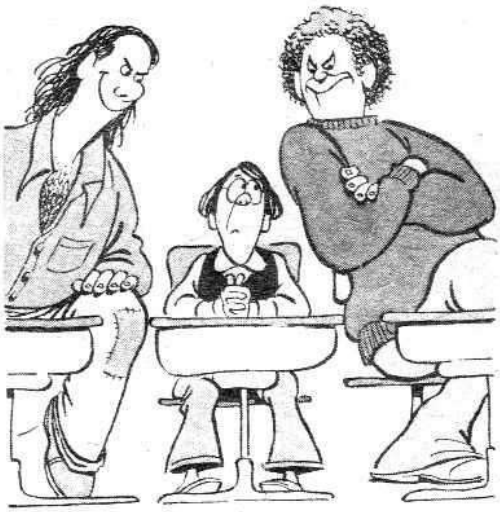
...the teacher insists being called by his first name, although he acts no differently than a regular teacher!

...the teacher likes to scrape chalk as she writes on the board!

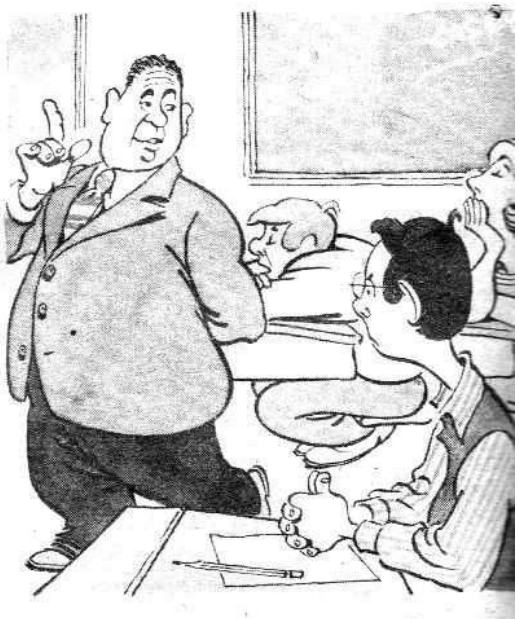
...the self-elected team captain bawls everyone out when they miss the volleyball while the loud-mouth can't do much better himself!

...the fellow next to you copies off of your exam paper, and when you try to get him to stop, you get blamed for cheating!

...the teacher marks your paper insultingly and seems to enjoy digging his pencil in when writing "X's"!



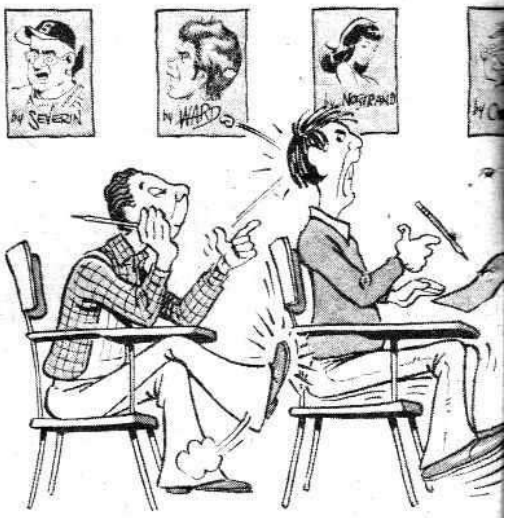
...you don't have the freedom of sitting anyplace other than your assigned seat for the whole term!



...the teacher looks only at you when lecturing!

...there's no doubt in your mind that you did magnificently on the exam---and you get a surprise!

...you're taking a test and everyone leaves before you do!

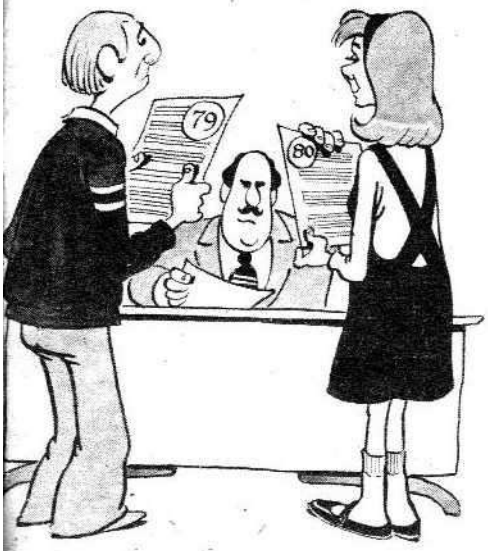



...the bored student behind you plays around with and kicks at your seat!

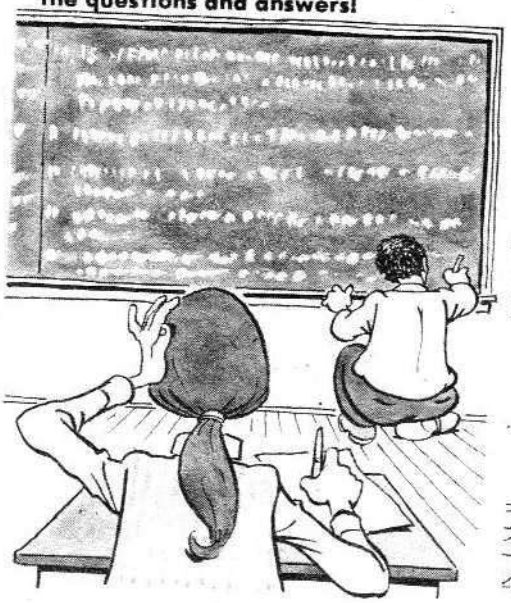
...friends let you know you're really in for a miserable time with the course you've just begun taking--- and you were actually enjoying the course so far!

...after you've taken a test, the students who are waiting to take the same test in the next period pile all over you trying to find out the questions and answers!

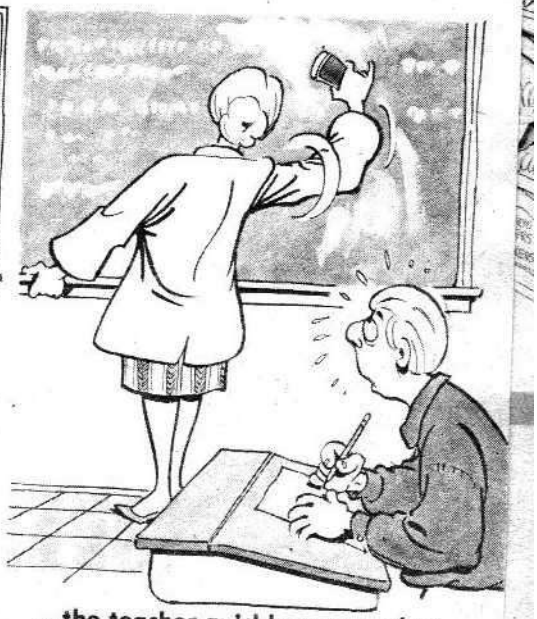
...you look at your watch and see you've half the lecture to go--- when you thought the period was almost over!




...a grade of 79 seems so low and a grade of 80 seems so high!



...the teacher fills up the whole blackboard and expects you to copy everything!



...the teacher quickly erases what he has written down before you have a chance to copy it all down!

...your teacher with the squeaky shoes insists on walking around while you are taking a test!

...the teacher is absent on exam day, but arranges for the test to be given anyway!

...after 16 years of education, in your very last class you realize school will be over and your troubles will **really** begin!

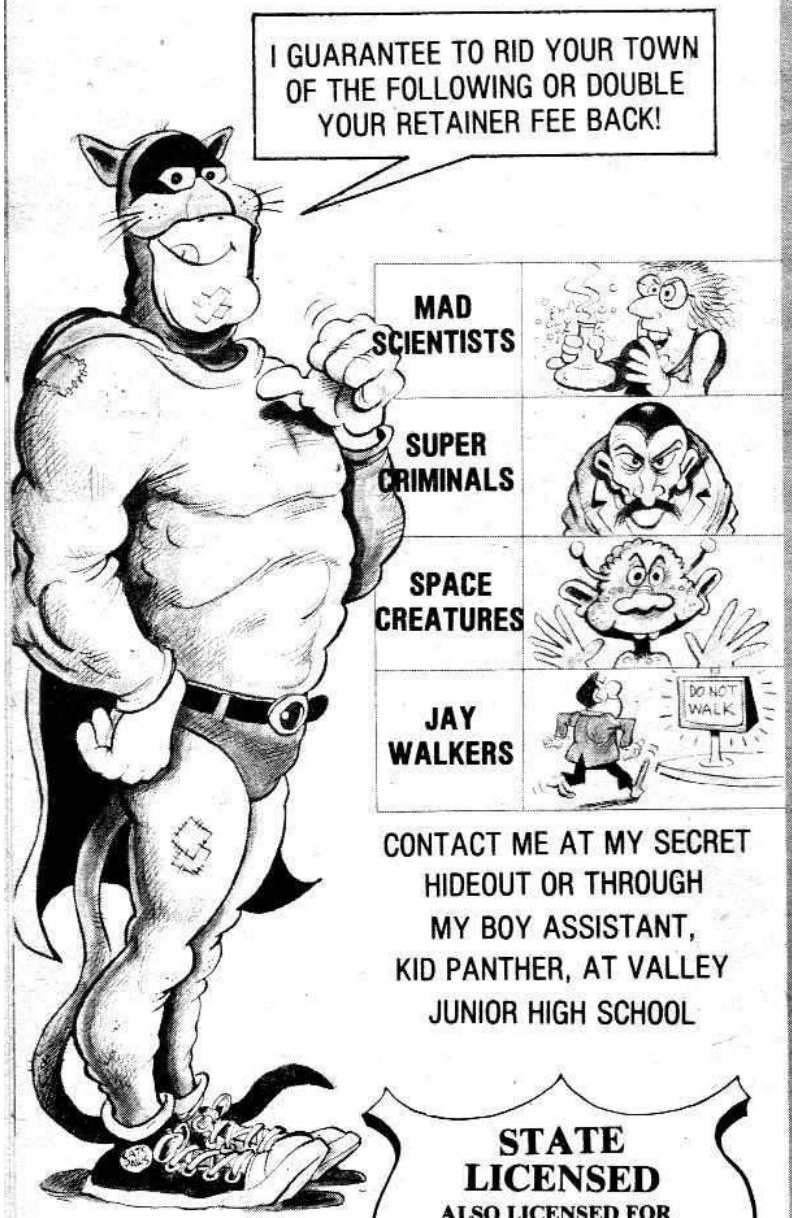
CRACKED is a prison guard who buys a microscope so he can see the cells better!

***Lawyers are now permitted to advertise. Accountants are clamoring for the same privilege. At this rate, CRACKED figures it won't be long before another professional group goes the Madison Avenue route. Get set for a flurry of***

# SUPER

## THE PURPLE PANTHER, INC.

**SPECIALIZES IN JOBS TOO TOUGH FOR THE FBI, CIA & JOHN WAYNE**




CONTACT ME AT MY SECRET HIDEOUT OR THROUGH MY BOY ASSISTANT, KID PANTHER, AT VALLEY JUNIOR HIGH SCHOOL

**STATE LICENSED**
**ALSO LICENSED FOR NATIONAL, INTERNATIONAL & OUTER SPACE WORK**

Bruce Day

## *Lady Lib Investigations*

***SPECIALIZING IN PROBLEMS THAT REQUIRE THE FEMALE TOUCH***

***THANKS TO MY X-RAY VISION AND SUPER HEARING I CAN OFFER YOU THE FOLLOWING SERVICES:***

- ***ALL OF YOUR NEIGHBOR'S SECRET RECIPES***
- ***THE LATEST JUICY NEIGHBORHOOD GOSSIP***
- ***A COMPLETE REPORT ON YOUR BOYFRIEND'S OR HUBBY'S DALLIANCES***

*MY FEE IS A MODEST $50 A DAY PLUS BEAUTY PARLOR EXPENSES*

437 KRYPTON DRIVE

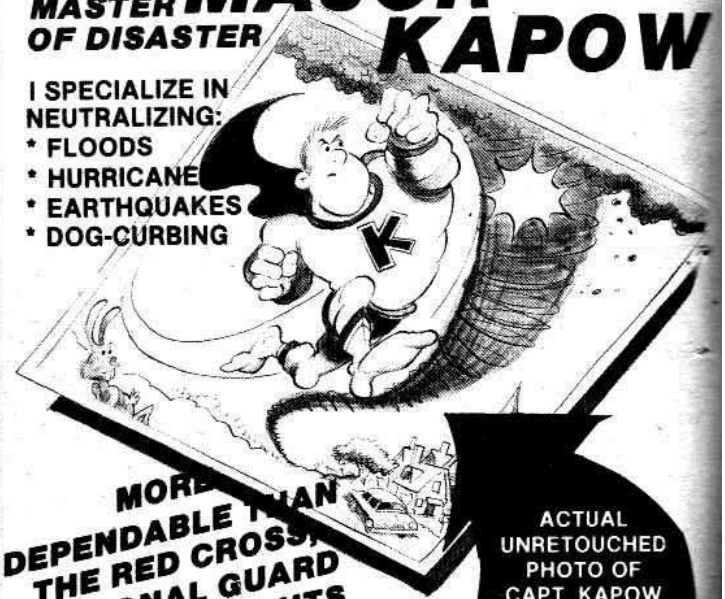
*NEVER ANY CHARGE FOR BEATING UP ON MACHO WIFE-BEATERS*

***WHEN NATURE'S CATASTROPHIES HIT YOUR COMMUNITY IT'S TIME TO CALL***

## *THE MASTER OF DISASTER* MAJOR KAPOW

**I SPECIALIZE IN NEUTRALIZING:**

- **FLOODS**
- **HURRICANES**
- **EARTHQUAKES**
- **DOG-CURBING**



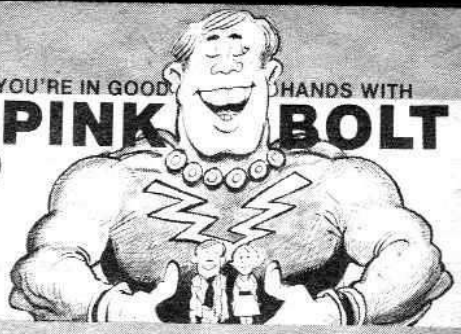
**MORE THAN DEPENDABLE THE RED CROSS, NATIONAL GUARD AND BOY SCOUTS COMBINED**

ACTUAL UNRETOUCHED PHOTO OF CAPT. KAPOW KAYOING A TORNADO

**MAJOR KAPOW 32 SHAZAM DRIVE**

# HERO ADS

YOU'RE IN GOOD HANDS WITH
**PINK BOLT**



## CAPTAIN JACK OF ALL TRADES

**NO JOB TOO LARGE OR TOO SMALL**

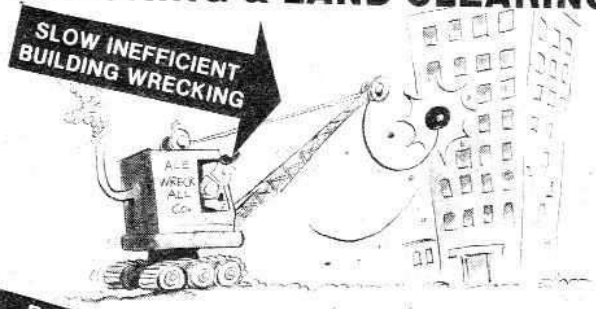
1855 NORTH ZOOM BLVD.

* ALSO AVAILABLE FOR ESCORT SERVICE, BAR MITZVAHS, AND CHURCH BINGOES

* MESSAGES DELIVERED TO ANY HAZARDOUS AREA, BE IT THE BERMUDA TRIANGLE OR CENTRAL PARK

## SILVER CYCLONE

**WRECKING & LAND CLEARING**



THE SILVER CYCLONE GUARANTEES TO TURN CITY BLOCKS INTO RUBBLE FASTER THAN THEY DO IT IN THE SOUTH BRONX

***"WHEN YOU WANT TO SEE IT LYING PRONE—CALL THE SILVER CYCLONE"***

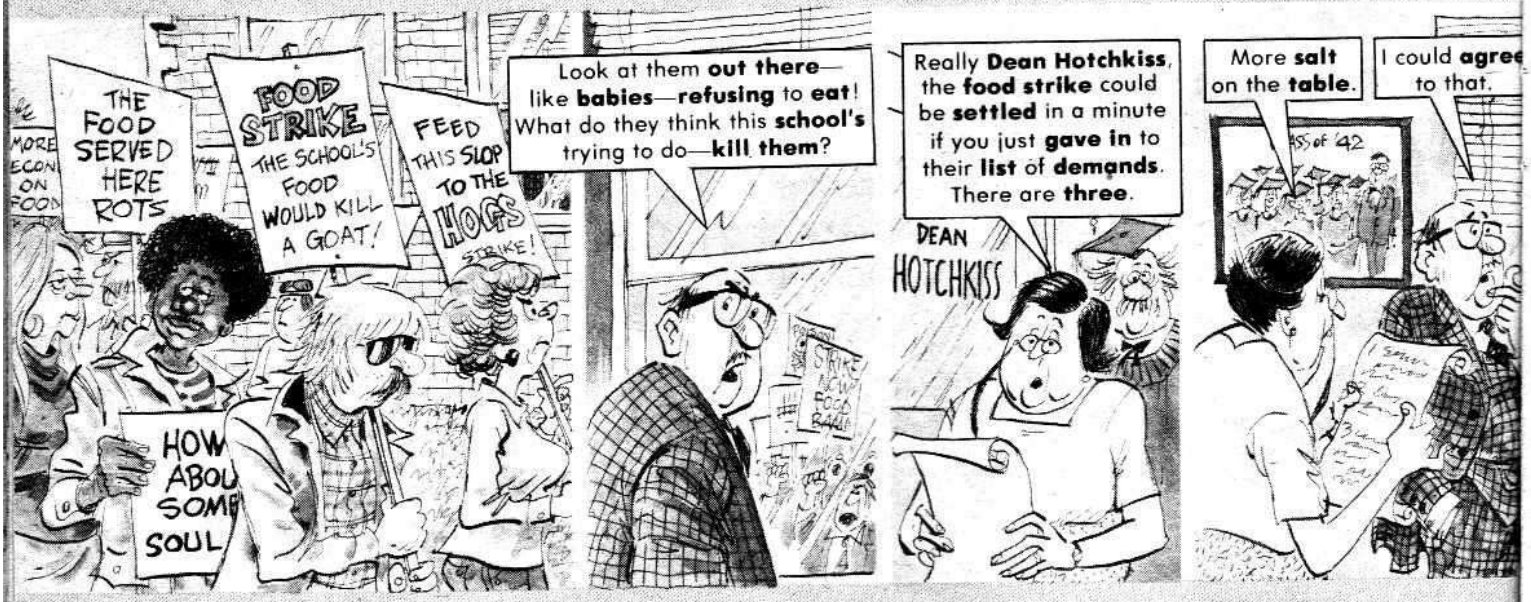
10027 SOUTH THWACK AVE.

**LET ME BE YOUR EMERGENCY POWER SOURCE FOR POWER BLACKOUTS, FUEL CRISES, AND MONSTER-MAKING EXPERIMENTS**

## MAJOR DYNAMO

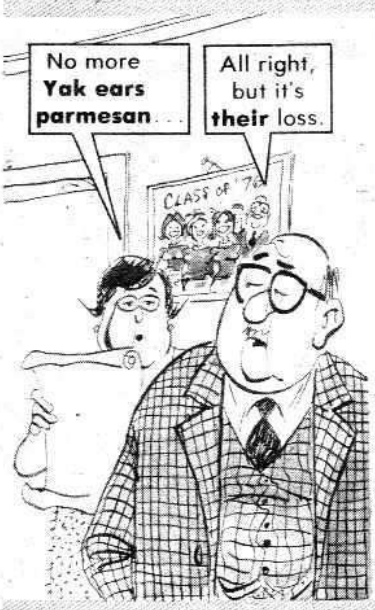
**SPECIAL LOW RATES FOR RETIREMENT COMMUNITIES**
**5372 CAPED CRUSADER ROAD**

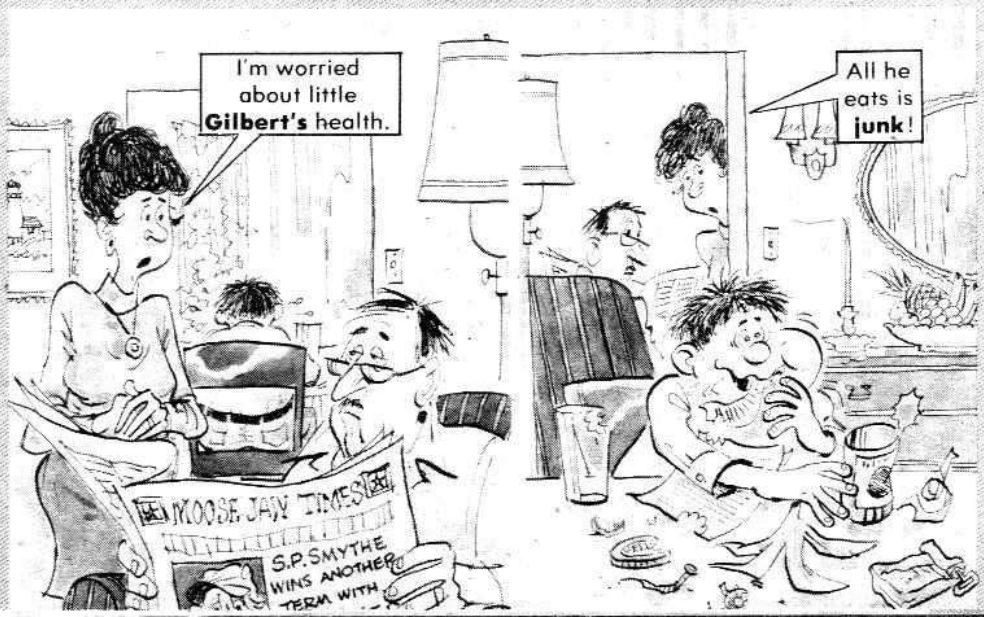
# THE CRACKED WORLD OF

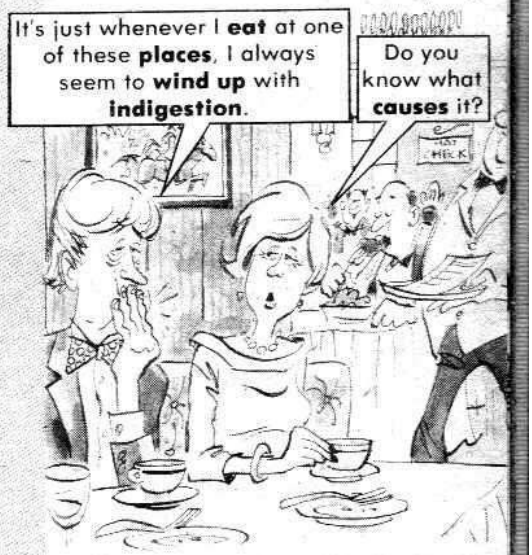


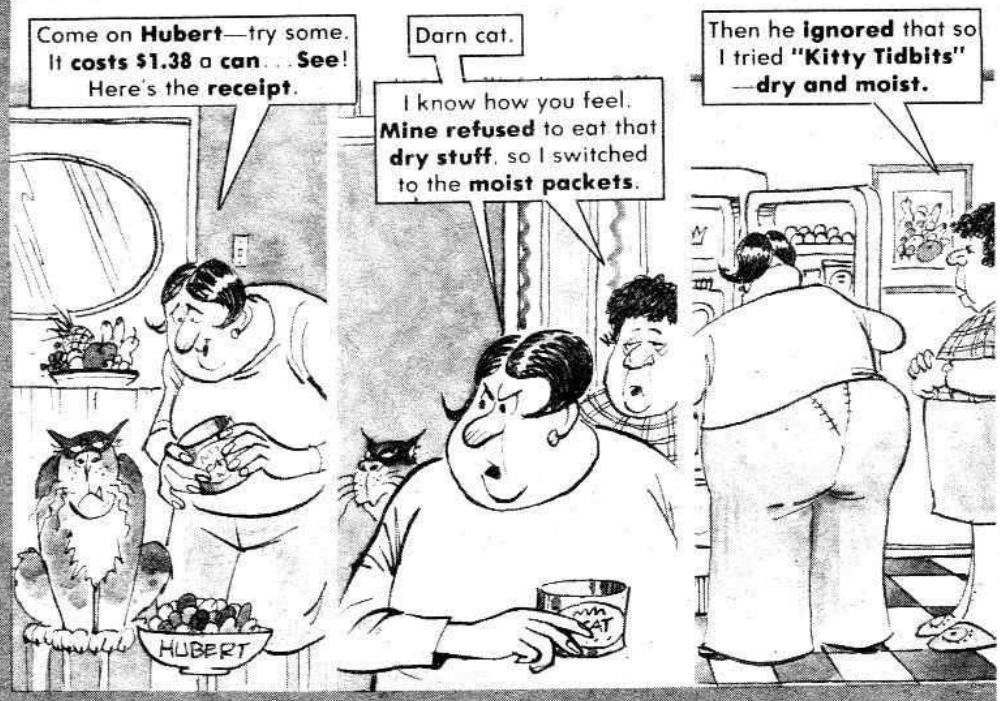
# FOOD

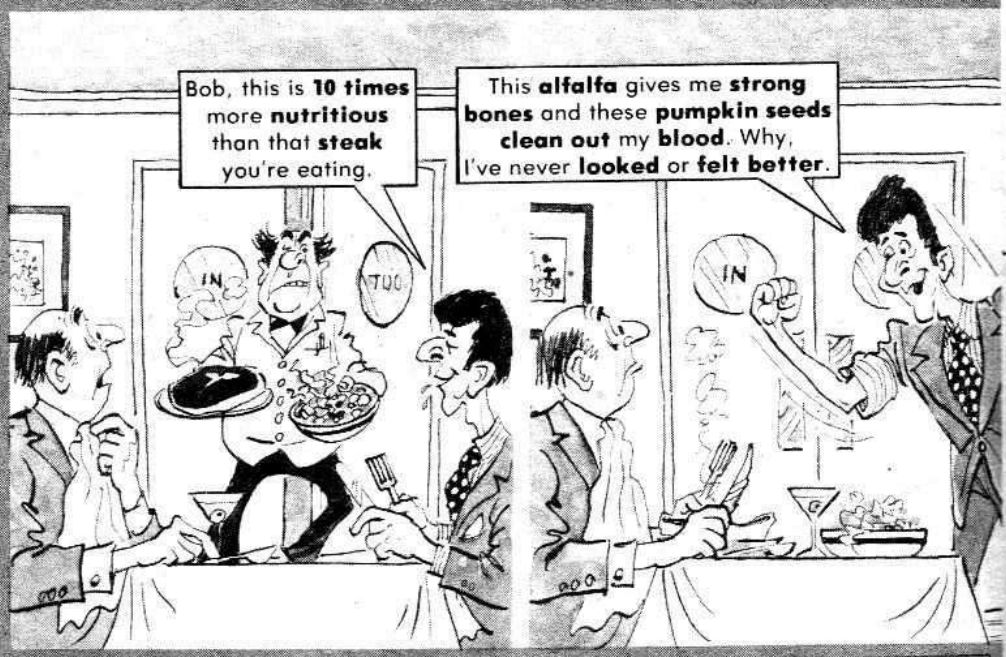
CRACKED is thinking four tennis courts is a tennis gallon!









CRACKED is calling the local dog catcher a spot remover!

Well, he **refused** that, so my husband **Ralph** tried making him some special **homemade dishes**—and **that** didn't please him either.
And then, **finally**, we found the **answer** to all our **problems**.
THERE'S MORE TO LOVE IN FAT GIRLS
Really. What'd you do?
We **gave** the **cat away**!

Wow! **Look** at your **mom**!
What's **wrong** with her.
She looks so **fat**.

I thought you **said** she was on a **diet**.
She is. She only eats **one meal** a day.

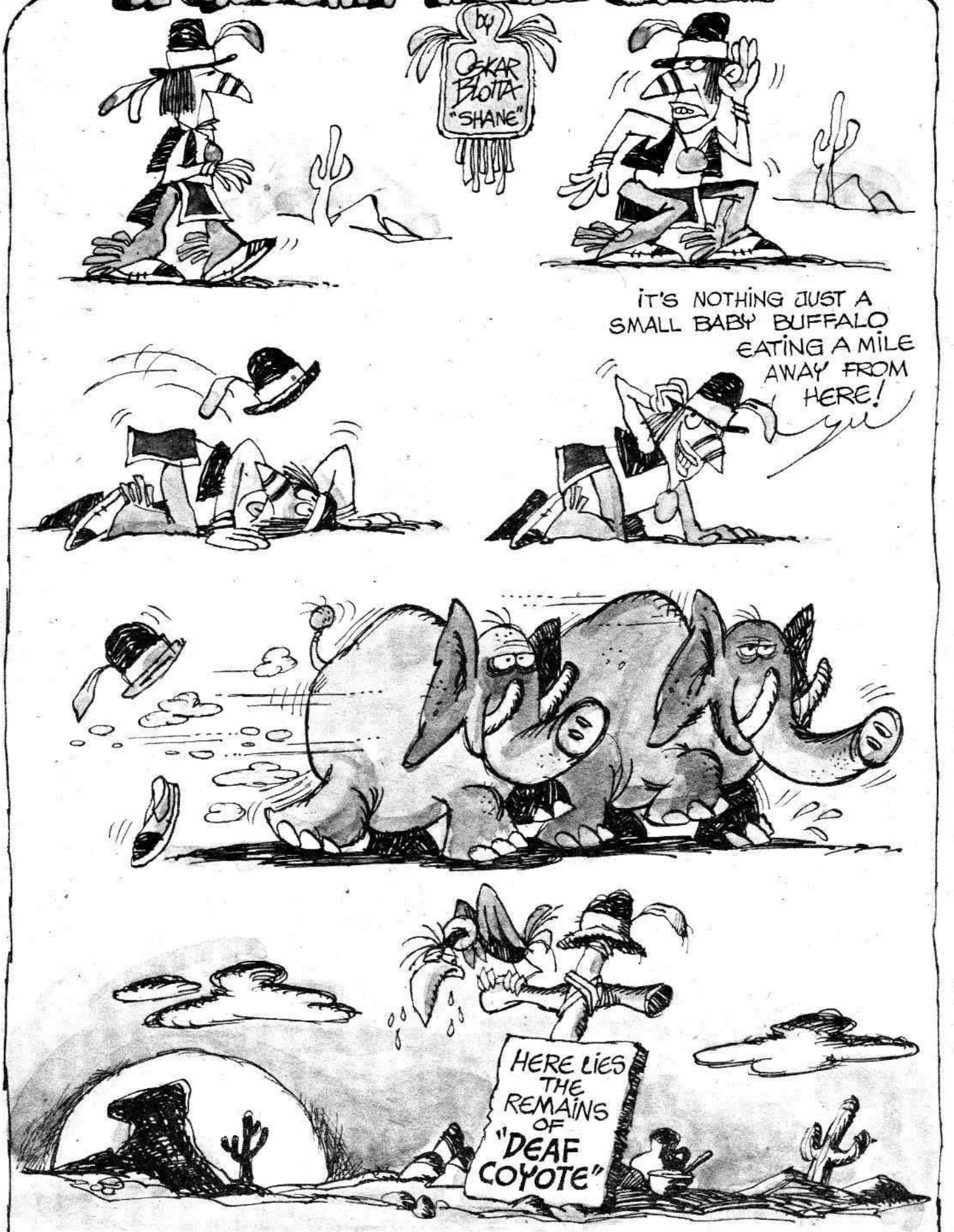
But doesn't it **taste bad**?
All I did was ask...
**WILL YOU STOP PICKING ON ME AND MY FOOD?!!**
EXIT
I'm sorry.
You may **look** and **feel better**, but aren't you kind of **moody**?
Heck, you'd be **moody** too if **all** day all you **ate** was **dried grass** and **bird seed**.

Then **why** isn't she **thinner**?
HOME IS WHERE THE FOOD IS—

You really know a lot about **supermarket economics**.
A bit.
NO CASH CHECKING ALLOWED
And the way they do **business** actually **upsets** you?
Why don't you **join** the **organization** I'm **president** of—**WAHP**—**Women Against High Prices.** We're **picketing** the store next week.
SHOP LIFTING
Oh, I'd **love** to—but I **don't think** I **can**.
Why not?
My **husband owns** the **place**!

Because the **one meal** she eats lasts **all day long**.

# A GLOOMY INDIAN STORY



**Right now Hollywood is producing disaster movies by the score— The Poseidon Adventure, Earthquake, The Towering Inferno, and, of course the greatest disaster of them all —The Great Gadsby. CRACKED gets in on the disaster kick with this disaster of an article entitled . . .**

# DISASTER MOVIES YOU MAY BE SOON SEEING

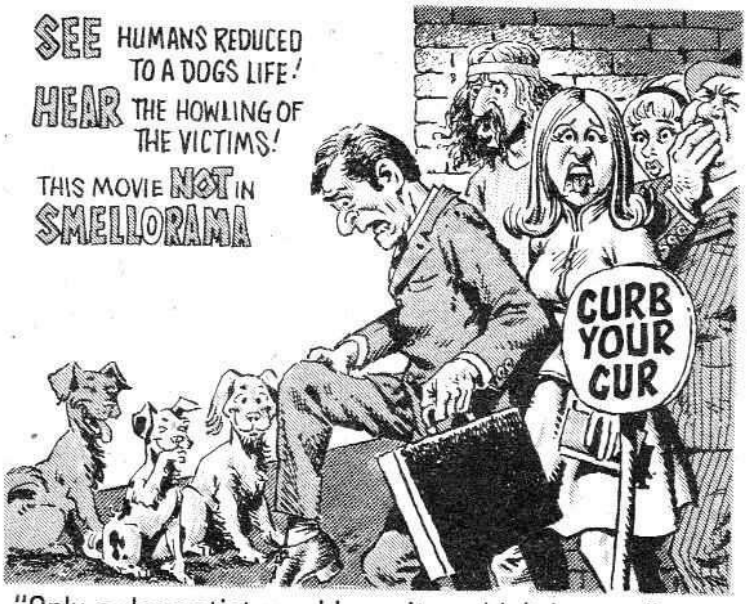
THEY FAILED TO CURB THE CITY'S EXPLODING DOG POPULATION IN MORE WAYS THAN ONE.

## THE TOWERING TERRIER TERROR

WATCH THE CITY'S MAIL SERVICE REALLY GO TO THE DOGS!

STARRING:
Michael Cainine * Terrior Thomas * The Pointer Sisters * Count Basset Cur Jurgens * The Great Dane Clark * Mike Curb Congregation * Les Barker * Dickie Doo and the Don'ts

SEE A BRAVE BAND OF DOG-TIRED CITIZENS TRY TO FIGHT IT'S WAY THROUGH AN ISLAND OF DOGGIE-DO!




"Only a dogmatist would say it couldn't happen"
—Bows Lee Crother, N.Y. Times

"Jolly Collie Folly" —Variety

"I'll never wear Hush Puppies again" —Rex Rude

A group of Vassar girls face a street lined with Rome's most notorious pinchers. Would they escape . . . or would they get it in the end?

# THE FINGERS OF FATE

* Pinky Lee
* Thumb Ewell
* Handy Griffith
* Jack Paw
* Betty Grabble
* Peter Pinch

A HANDS ACROSS THE SEA PRODUCTION

"The Vassar girls can act. You really have to hand it to them." –L.A. Times

"Movie has great feeling." –N.Y. Pest

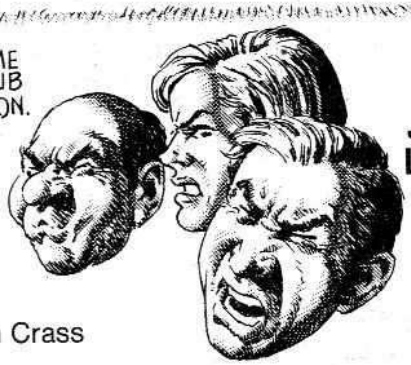
For the first time they understood why Italy was famous for its wavy palms

**THE DISASTER THAT BLINDED 20 MILLION AMERICANS!**

**Recreates the simultaneous appearance of Telly Savalas, Yul Brynner, David Carradine and Issac Hayes on a panel show!**

# GLARING INFERNO

A CHROME DOME CLUB SELECTION.



**WITH**

**Jackie Glisten**
**Luster Maddox**
**Janet Glare**
**Orson Beam**
**Lucille Bald**
**Johnnie Ray**

"Very illuminating–bares the facts"–N.Y. Sun
"Youngsters will take a shine to David Carradine" –Judith Crass
"Movie reflects well on Hollywood" –Rhonda Bareit

***A zonked-out English rock group wakes up to find itself trapped in a wall of garbage left over from a seven day rock festival***

***They were used to climbing to the top in a dirty business but this was something else***

**Metro Goldwyn Mire Presents:**

# THE TOWERING TRASH

**Listen to the Grimy Limies Play "Muck the Knife" "Varsity Dreg" "Grime on my Hands"**

**It was a nowhere scene but they still had to dig it**

***STARRING:***

* ***Greta Garbage***
* ***Tammy Grimes***
* ***Filth Silvers***
* ***Dirt Bogarde***
* ***Stain Laurele***
* ***Peter Soilers***

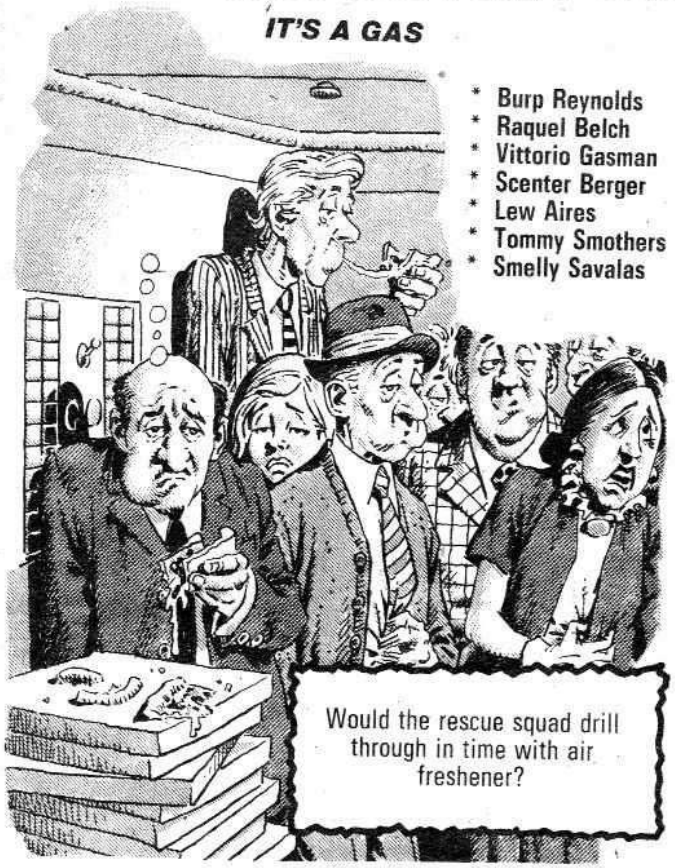
"A lot of rubbish" –N.Y. Blues

"Hits a new high in filth" –San Antonio Blight

They were trapped in an elevator for 96 hours with nothing to eat but a stack of frozen pizzas!

# THE PERSPIRIN ADVENTURE

***IT'S A GAS***




* Burp Reynolds
* Raquel Belch
* Vittorio Gasman
* Scenter Berger
* Lew Aires
* Tommy Smothers
* Smelly Savalas

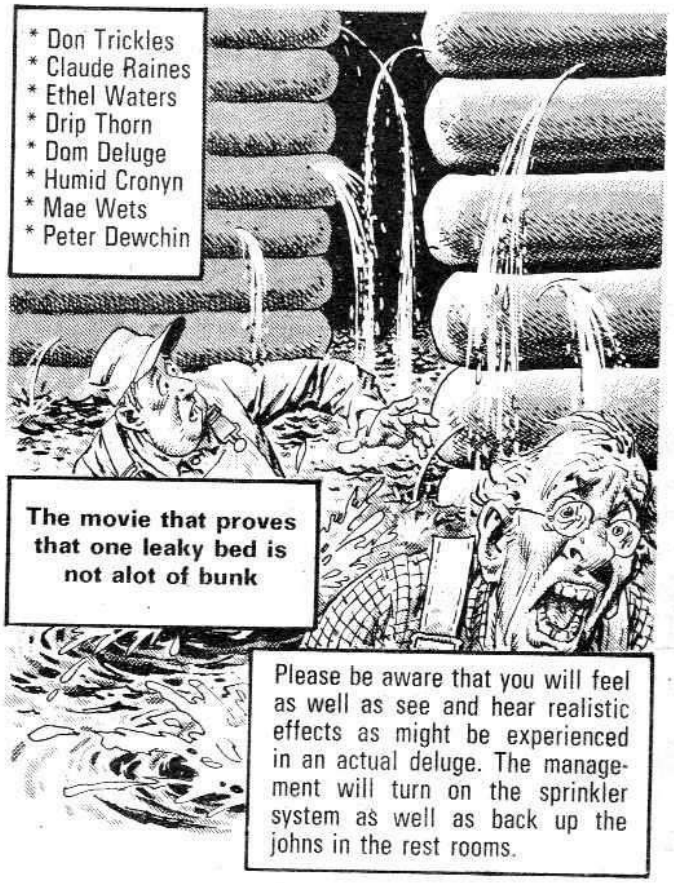
"Movie tries to be elevating but never gets off the ground floor" —Wichita Bacon

"It'll have you holding your breath . . . and your nose." —Boston Glib

"Picture has an unmistakable air to it" —San Diego Bunion

***WATER BROS. PRESENTS***

# The Big Leak
## *at the waterbed factory*



* Don Trickles
* Claude Raines
* Ethel Waters
* Drip Thorn
* Dom Deluge
* Humid Cronyn
* Mae Wets
* Peter Dewchin

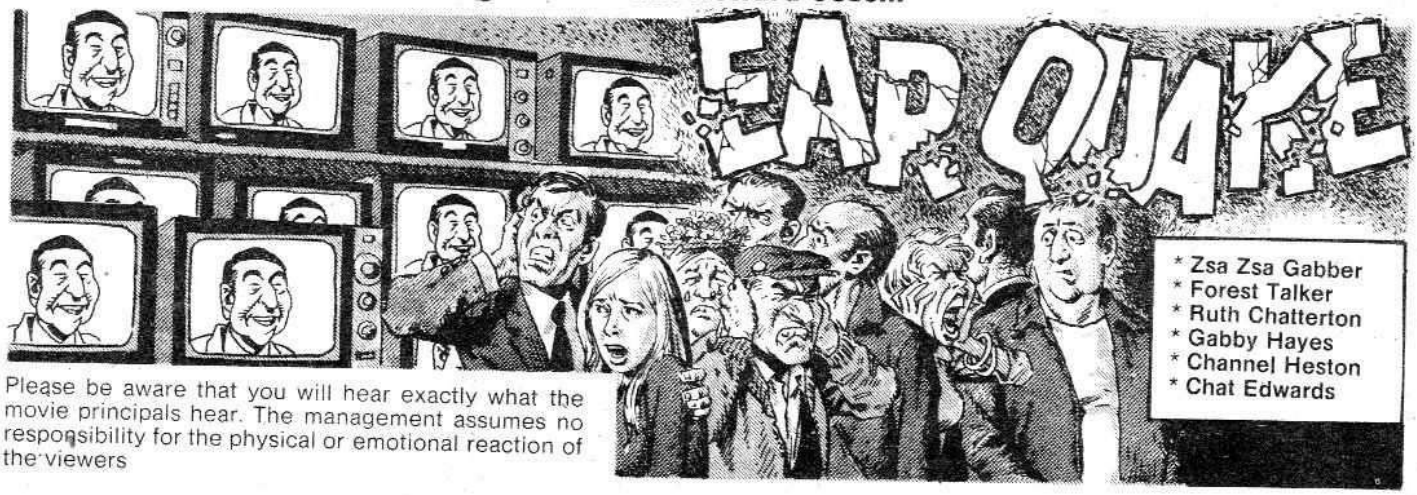
**The movie that proves that one leaky bed is not alot of bunk**

Please be aware that you will feel as well as see and hear realistic effects as might be experienced in an actual deluge. The management will turn on the sprinkler system as well as back up the johns in the rest rooms.

"Wets the appetite for more" —Toledo Bland

"At last a movie that waters-down its violence." —Miami News

***Watch the ultimate disaster as a group of stranded shoppers find themselves trapped overnight in an appliance store with nothing to watch but Howard Cosell.***




* Zsa Zsa Gabber
* Forest Talker
* Ruth Chatterton
* Gabby Hayes
* Channel Heston
* Chat Edwards

Please be aware that you will hear exactly what the movie principals hear. The management assumes no responsibility for the physical or emotional reaction of the viewers

Free air-sickness bag provided.

"Cosell talks bull even when he talks turkey." —Newsweak

Housewives are going bananas over coupons that offer savings on supermarket products, CRACKED feels premiums are great, but that they shouldn't be restricted to just food and household items. For example, here are some

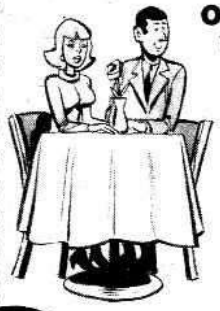
# REDEMPTION COUP

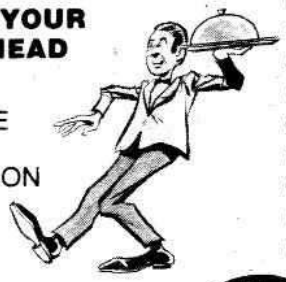
RESTAURANT COUPON

15 MINUTES

## SAVE 15 MINUTES

ON PRESENTATION OF COUPON WAITER WILL COME TO YOUR TABLE 15 MINUTES AHEAD OF SCHEDULE





CATCHING WAITER'S EYE IN ORDER TO PRESENT HIM WITH COUPON IS STRICTLY THE RESPONSIBILITY OF COUPON BEARER

15 MINUTES

CRIME COUPON

50¢

## SAVE 50¢

ON PRESENTATION OF COUPON TO MUGGER, BEARER WILL BE ENTITLED TO RETAIN 50¢ OF HIS OWN MONEY

COUPON EXPIRES IF BEARER EXPIRES

50¢

## 40 GIANT STEPS

ON PRESENTATION OF COUPON MAILMAN WILL TAKE 40 GIANT STEPS TO

INSURE BEARER OF EXTRA QUICK MAIL DELIVERY

COUPON NOT VALID ON THOSE DAYS WHEN MAILMAN IS SUFFERING FROM HANGOVER, OR MONDAY BLUES

MAIL COUPON

1 ONE 1

## HOUSE CALL

FROM THE PHYSICIAN OF YOUR CHOICE

VOID WHERE PATIENT RESIDES MORE THAN 100 YDS. FROM PHYSICIAN'S HOME

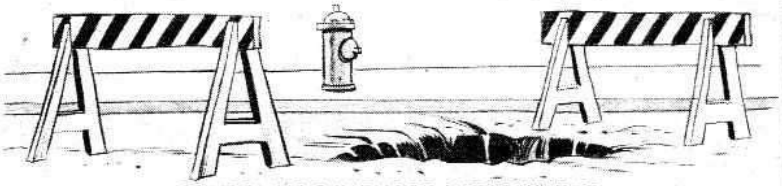
PATIENT MUST NOT TRY TO REDEEM MORE THAN ONE COUPON EVERY TEN YEARS

CITY COUPON

FREE

## ONE POTHOLE FILLED

YOUR FAVORITE POTHOLE FILLED FREE ON PRESENTATION OF COUPON TO YOUR LOCAL STREET MAINTENANCE DEPT.



COUPON VOID IN THOSE AREAS WHERE THE SIZE OF POTHOLES WOULD ENDANGER THE LIVES OF STREET MAINTENANCE CREWS

# ONS WE'D REALLY LIKE TO SEE

FREE ONE NIGHT FREE OF NOISE FROM TRASH COLLECTORS FREE

OFFER VOID IN THOSE AREAS WHERE SANITATION MEN ARE EXTRA ORNERY FROM HAVING LOST A RECENT WAGE DISPUTE

FREE FREE

10 MINUTES

HEALTH COUPON WILL BE REDEEMED FOR

10 MINUTES

## 10 MINUTES

OF SMOGLESS SKY

WARNING: DETROIT MUST NOT ATTEMPT TO DELAY REDEMPTION OF THIS COUPON IN THEIR USUAL SNEAKY WAY BY ASKING CONGRESS FOR POSTPONEMENT ON SMOG-FREE ENGINES

MOVIE COUPON

ADD 3 YRS. ADD 3 YRS.

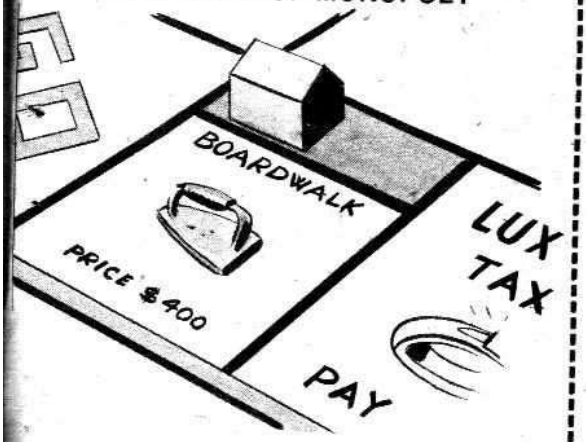
COUPON ENTITLES BEARER TO ADD 3 YRS. TO HIS AGE IN ORDER TO SEE 'R' AND X-RATED MOVIES

ADD 3 YRS. ADD 3 YRS.

COUPON DISPENSER CANNOT BE HELD RESPONSIBLE FOR MORONIC CONTENT OF MOVIE

## SAVE $1500

COUPON ENTITLES BEARER TO $1500 OFF ON RENTAL FEE IN A GAME OF MONOPOLY




$ COUPON ALSO ENTITLES BEARER TO RAID HOST'S REFRIGERATOR AT WILL $

5 MINUTES OFF 5 MINUTES OFF

## 5 MINUTES OFF

FROM THE CONVERSATION OF BORING CHATTERBOXES

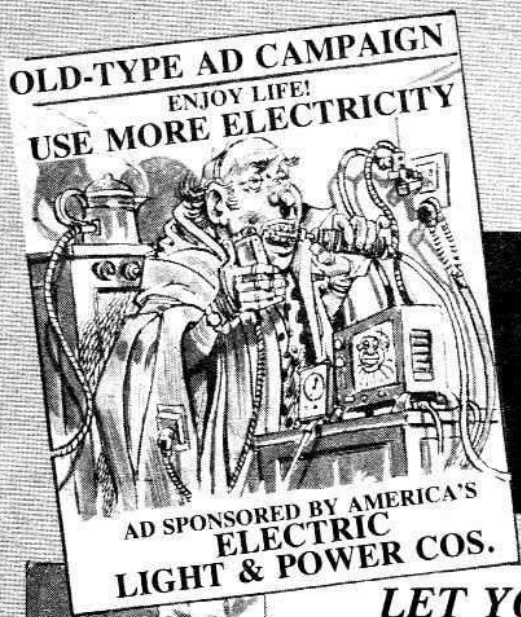
IF CHATTERER REFUSES TO HONOR COUPON, MAIL COUPON TO MAIN OFFICE FOR ONE BOX OF FREE EAR PLUGS

5 MINUTES OFF 5 MINUTES OFF

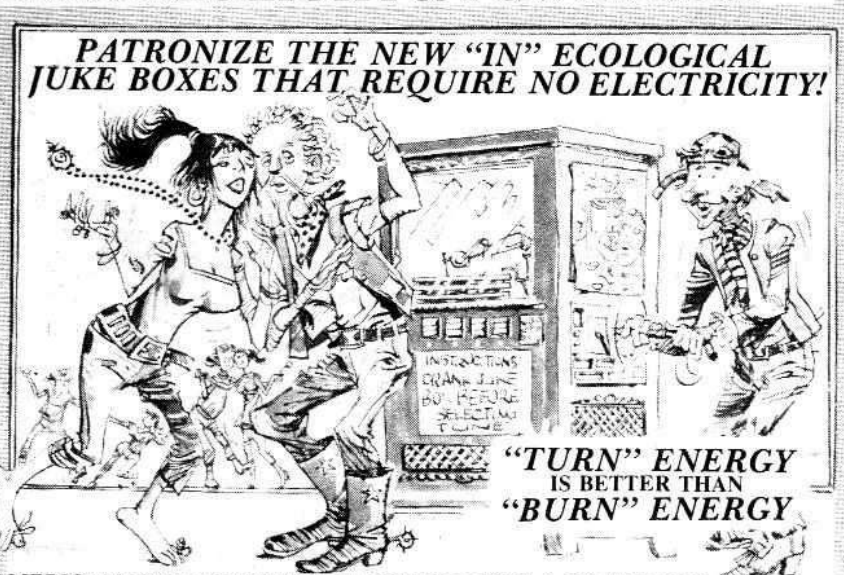
MAKING LIGHT OF A DARK SITUATION SECTION

It wasn't very long ago that power companies were en- buy more appliances. But now the demand for power is already commonplace on the East Coast. CRACKED pre-

# THE CAMPAIGN



AMERICA'S OVEREXTENDED
ELECTRIC LIGHT & POWER COS.




AMERICA'S POOR-PLANNING ELECTRIC LIGHT & POWER COS.

couraging us to use more electricity with a campaign to fast outrunning the supply. Blackouts and brownouts are dicts that the crisis in power will soon lead to . . .

# TO USE LESS POWER

**THE ONLY 100% GUARANTEED WAY TO REDUCE**

*THROW AWAY YOUR REFRIGERATOR*

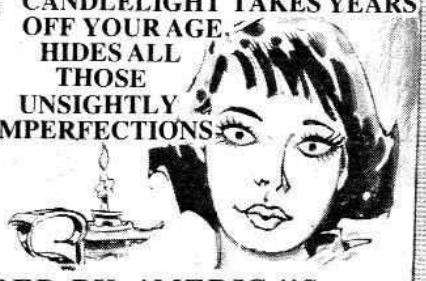
***REDUCE BOTH EXPENSES AND EXPANSES***

**"THIN" IS IN!**
**"FAT" IS NOT WHERE IT'S AT!**
**THIS AD COURTESY OF**
**AMERICA'S OVER-TAXED ELECTRIC LIGHT & POWER COS.**

***EXPERIENCE THE MAGIC FROM THE NEW "COSMETIC" CANDLELIGHT***

**HARSH ELECTRIC LIGHT REVEALS ALL THE WRINKLES, BLOTCHES AND REDNESS IN YOUR SAGGING SKIN**

**NEW, IMPROVED, DIM CANDLELIGHT TAKES YEARS OFF YOUR AGE. HIDES ALL THOSE UNSIGHTLY IMPERFECTIONS**



***THIS AD SPONSORED BY AMERICA'S ELECTRIC LIGHT & POWER FAILURE COS***

**BE SELF-SUFFICIENT! GENERATE YOUR OWN POWER**

*"A Family That Powers Together... Flowers Together"*

***LET YOUR FAMILY REAP THE BENEFITS FROM EXERCISING ELIMINATE COSTLY ELECTRIC BILLS!***

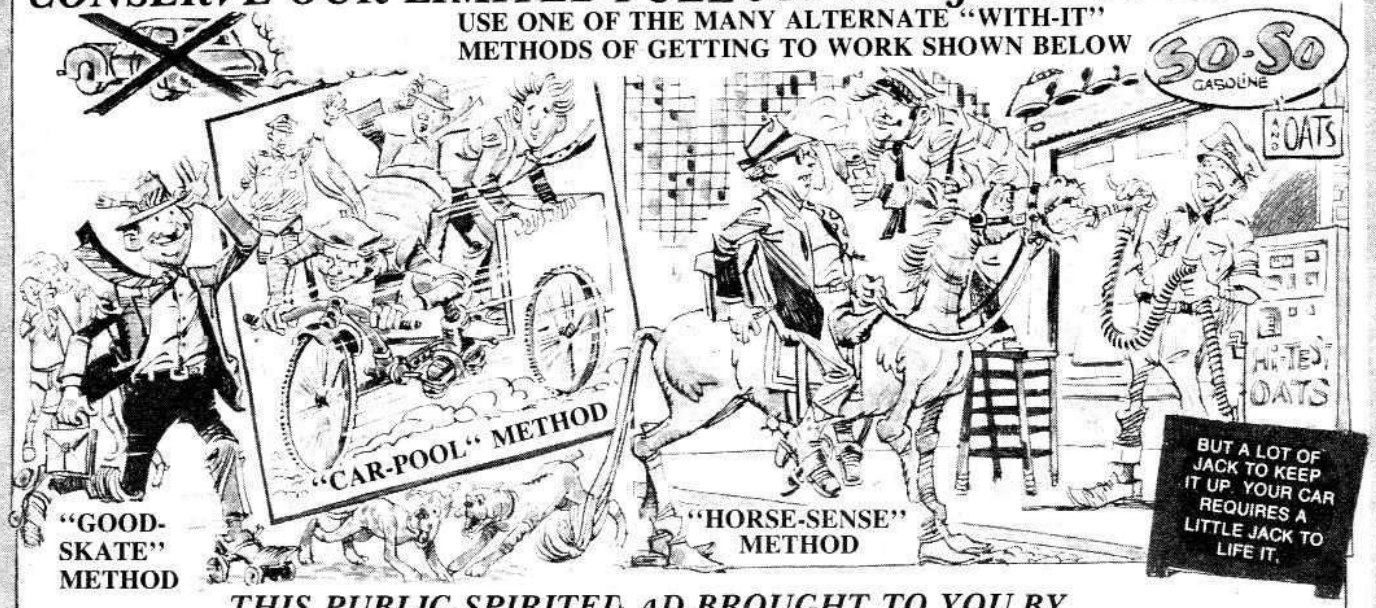
*"OUR CURRENT PROBLEM IS YOUR FUTURE PROBLEM"*

**AMERICA'S DESPERATE POWER & LIGHT COMPANIES**

EVENTUALLY THE CAMPAIGN WILL EXTEND TO OTHER FORMS OF ENERGY . . .

## CONSERVE OUR LIMITED FUEL SUPPLY–JUNK YOUR CAR!

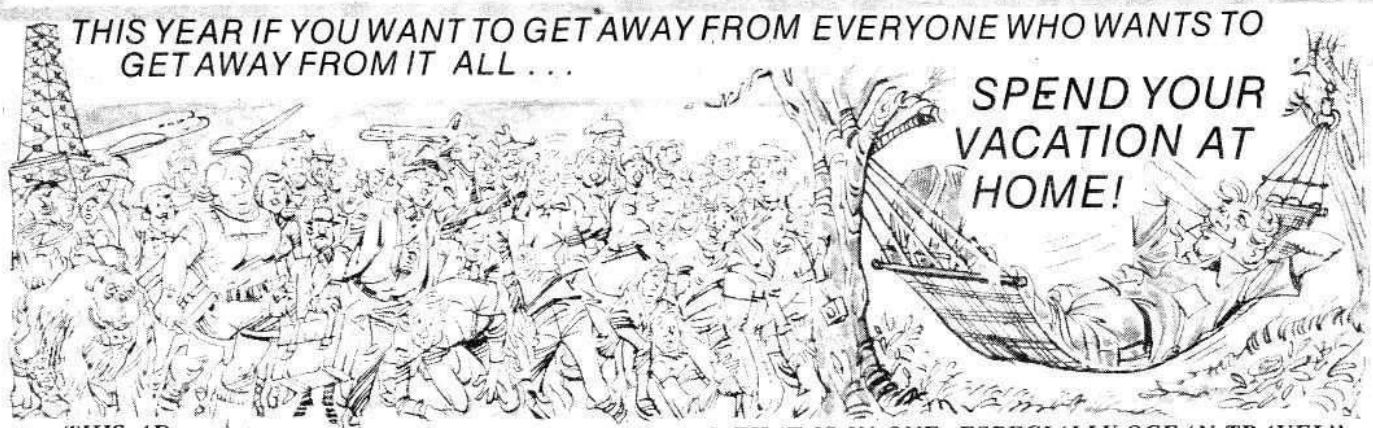
USE ONE OF THE MANY ALTERNATE "WITH-IT" METHODS OF GETTING TO WORK SHOWN BELOW




*THIS PUBLIC-SPIRITED AD BROUGHT TO YOU BY*

**AMERICA'S DWINDLING GASOLINE & OIL COMPANIES**

*THIS YEAR IF YOU WANT TO GET AWAY FROM EVERYONE WHO WANTS TO GET AWAY FROM IT ALL . . .*




*THIS AD BROUGHT TO YOU BY . . .*

*"TRAVEL BRINGS OUT ALL THAT IS IN ONE, ESPECIALLY OCEAN TRAVEL"*

## *UNITED STATES STEAMSHIP LINES*

TAKE A TIP FROM "TOMMY" THE TIGER

## *DISCARD YOUR CHARCOAL-CONSUMING BARBECUE*

EXPERIENCE THE ECSTATIC THRILL THAT COMES FROM EATING

**RAW MEAT!**

THIS AD SPONSORED BY

**THE DECREPIT AMERICAN COAL INDUSTRY**

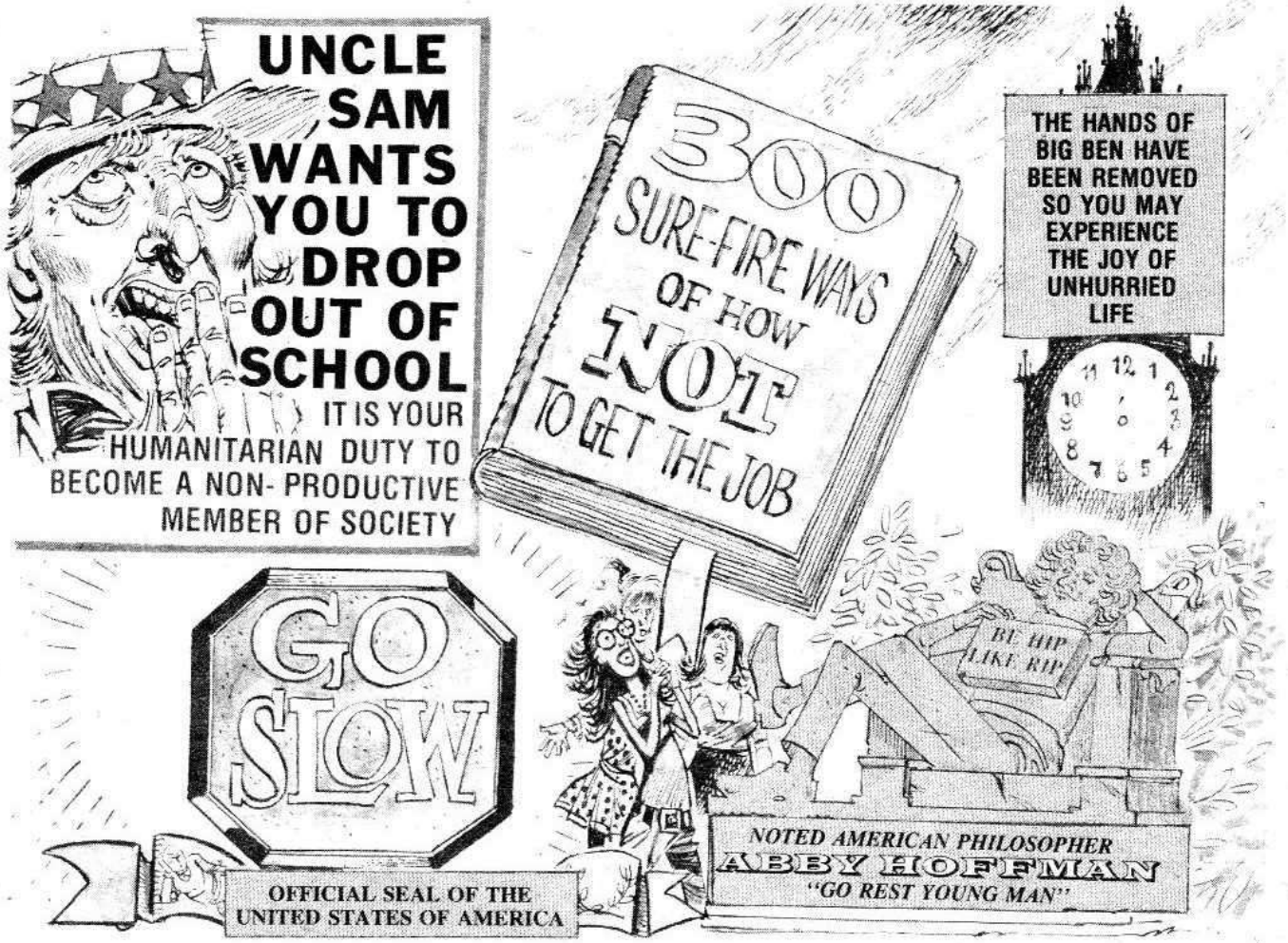
## *CONSERVE POWER . . . TEACH YOUR WIFE & DAUGHTER THE SEMAPHORE SYSTEM*

EASY ON THE EARS
EASY ON THE PHONE BILL

BEFORE IT WAS INVENTED PEOPLE THOUGHT THE TELEPHONE WAS IMPOSSIBLE . . .
*IT STILL IS!*

**BULL TELEPHONE SYSTEM**

But even a campaign to use less power is a mere stop-gap measure. Since there is a limited supply of land and resources, scientists predict the world is headed for collapse unless economic growth is halted. Accordingly, to survive, man will have to give up his zeal for ever higher standards of living and adopt a more relaxed life-style . . .



These self-centered clods, with their constant need for possessions, account for all our power and pollution problems. They care little for the kind of world they leave their children.

These men are concerned with the world's fate. By limiting their activities and wants, they are insuring the survival of mankind, and a safe, healthy, planet for all children.

QUESTION: How do you keep a seagull from smelling?
ANSWER: You cut off his nose!

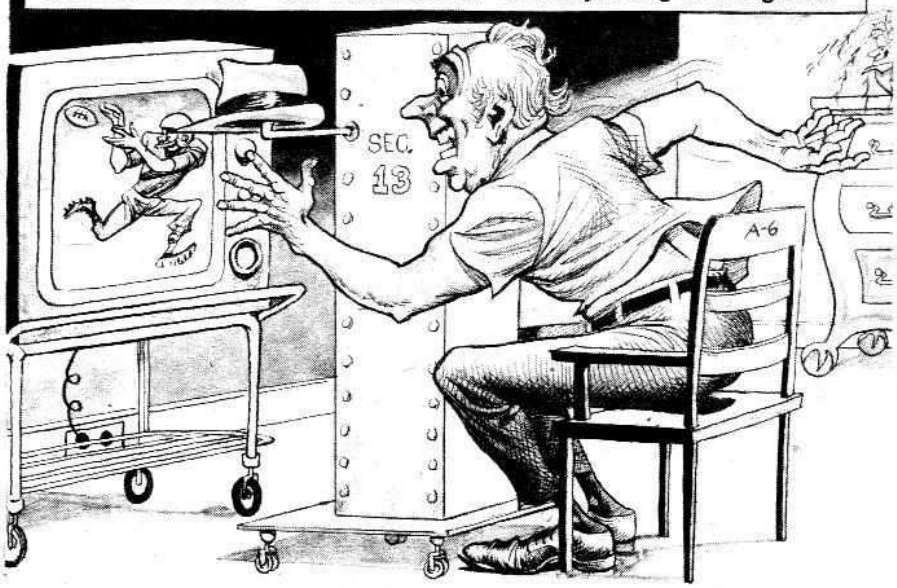
**With each passing year the football season is extended over a longer period of time, thereby forcing millions of addicted football fans to sit through more and more games. To comfort these long-suffering souls, CRACKED has designed these . . .**

# ACCESSORIES FOR THE TV FOOTBALL FREAK

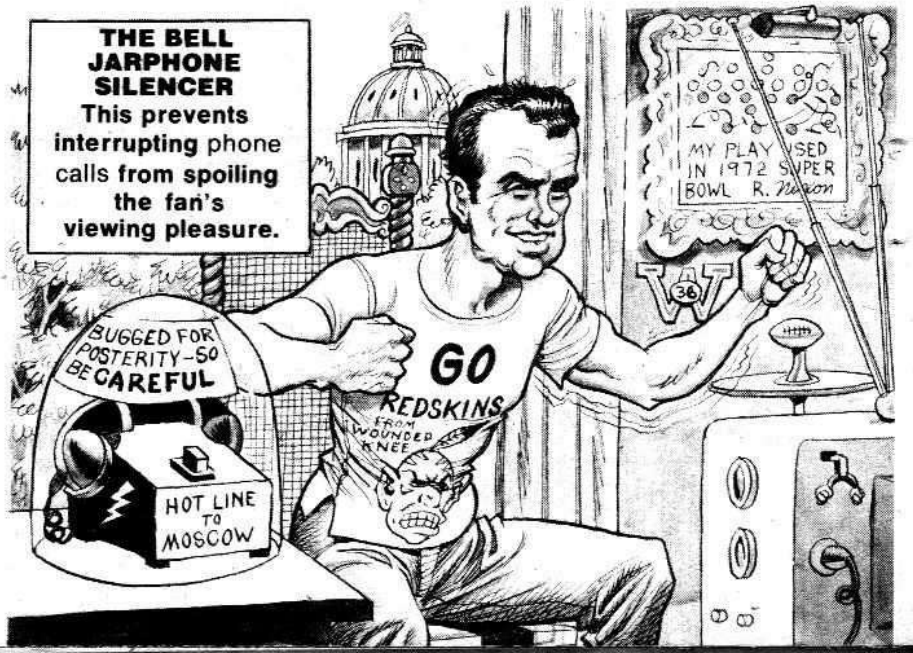
WARD

**THE REFEREE PUNCHING BAG**
This device allows fan to vent his frustrations.

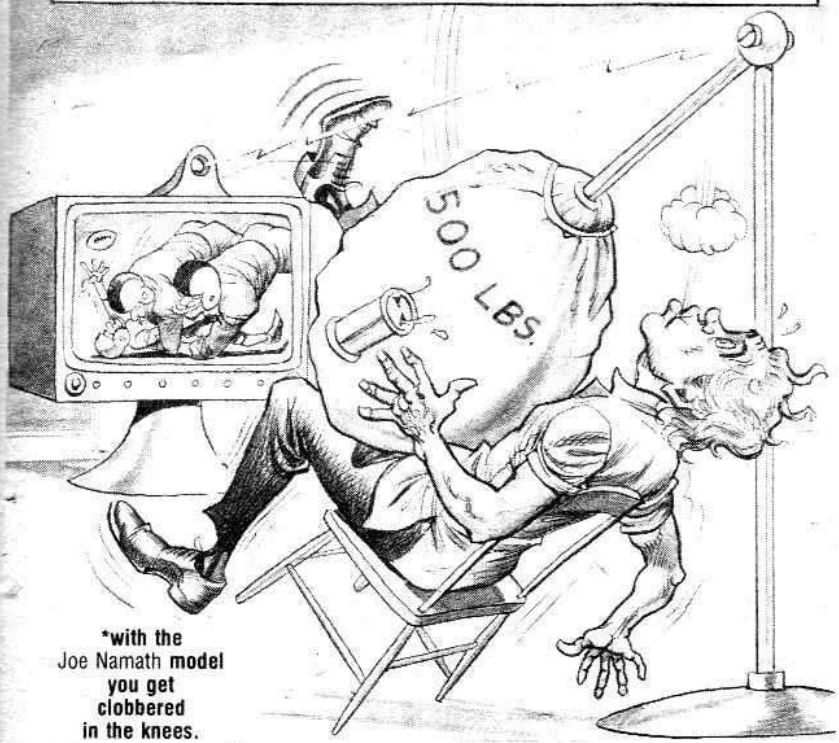
**GENUINE SEAT OBSTRUCTION** This item permits TV football fans to simulate the sensation of actually being at the game.




**THE BELL JARPHONE SILENCER**
This prevents interrupting phone calls from spoiling the fan's viewing pleasure.



**THE SYMPATHETIC PUNISHMENT MACHINE***
**This gadget allows fans to suffer along with their** favorite quarterback. **When he gets sacked . . . they get sacked.**

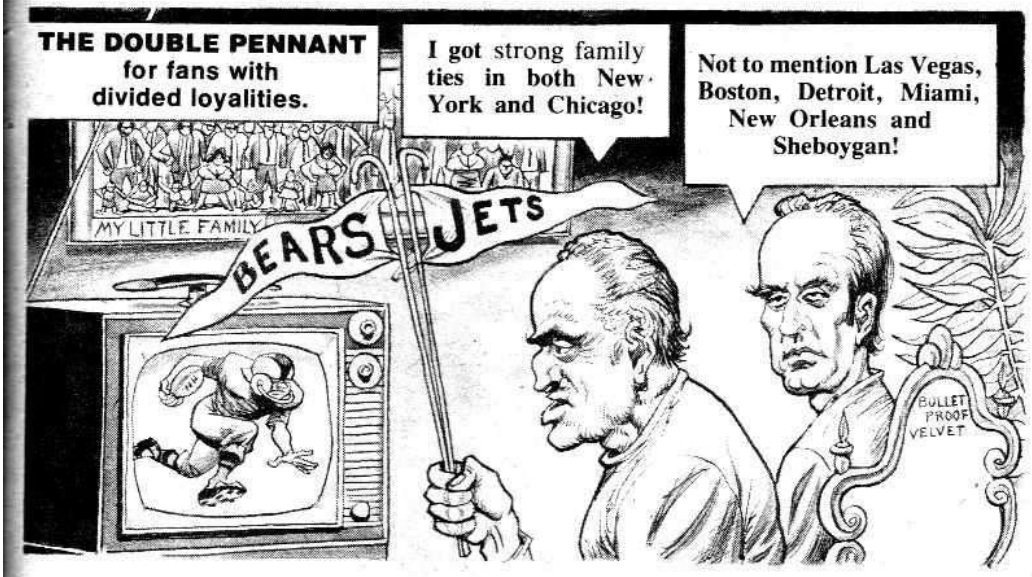



***with the** Joe Namath **model you get clobbered in the knees.**

**MINIATURE GOAL POST***
**Victory can be celebrated in traditional style by allowing fans to** tear down goalpost **at home.**

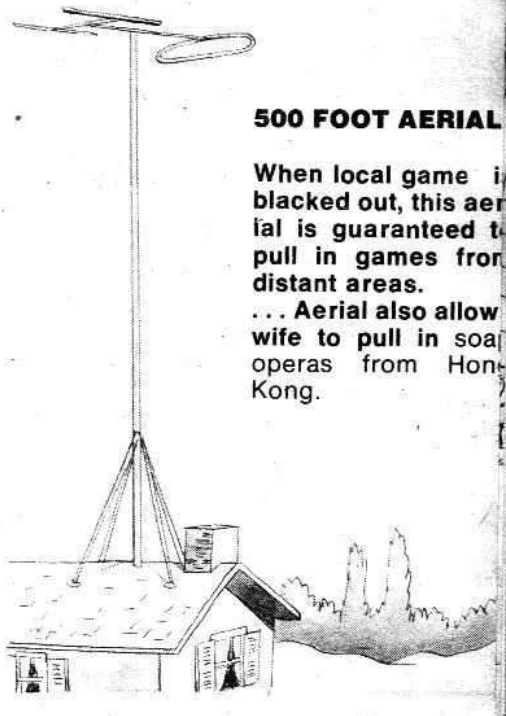
***also comes in** paper-mache' model **for flabby, out-of-shape** fans over forty.

**THE DOUBLE PENNANT**
**for fans with divided loyalities.**

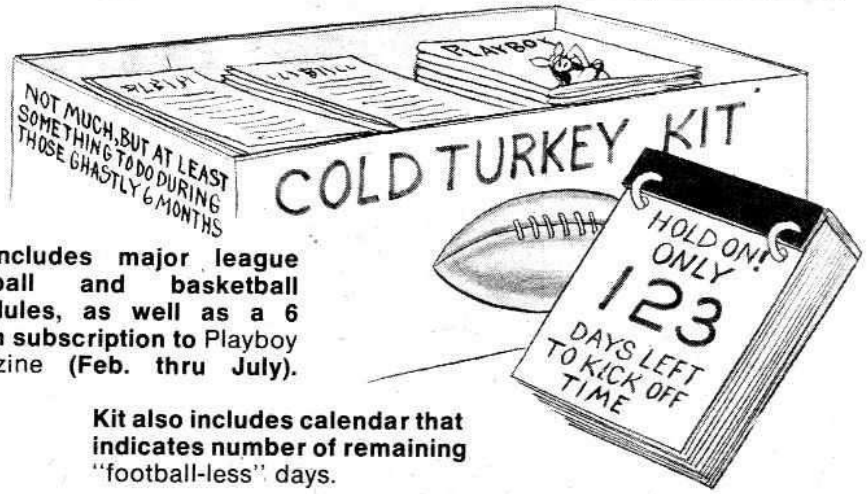



**500 FOOT AERIAL**

**When local game i blacked out, this aer ial is guaranteed t pull in games fror distant areas.**
**. . . Aerial also allow wife to pull in soa** operas from Hon Kong.



**COLD TURKEY KIT** — **Enables football addicts to survive from the end of mid-January to opening of the season in July.**




**Kit includes major league baseball and basketball schedules, as well as a 6 month subscription to** Playboy Magazine **(Feb. thru July).**

**Kit also includes calendar that indicates number of remaining** "football-less" days.

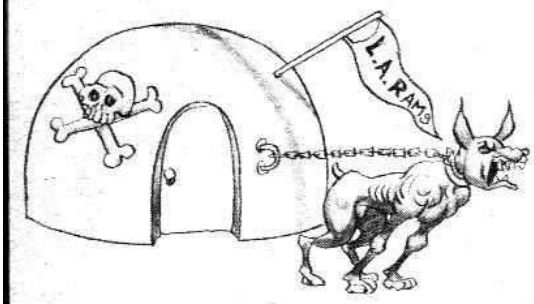
**ULCER INSURANCE**

When _____ (name of team) fumbles more than four times in one game, or has more than five of its passes intercepted, bearer of this policy is entitled to free medical examination.

**GRID CROSS** ✚ **MEDICAL INSURANCE**

## THE BUNKER-TYPE DEN

**The ultimate accessory for dyed-in-the-wool fans may be only a few years in the offing . . . the TV football den that is hermetically sealed off from Saturday through Monday nite's game.**

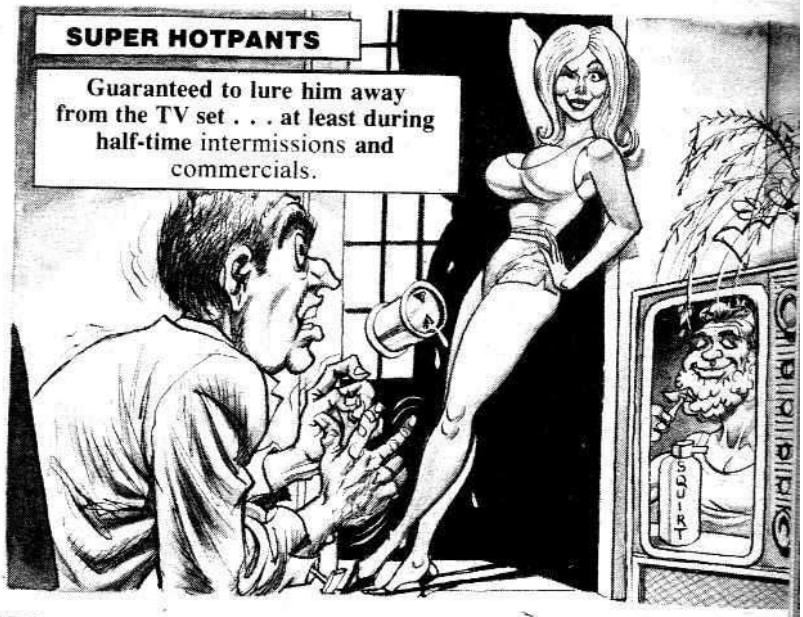


**But it is the neglected wife and or girlfriend of the football freak who really needs help. With this in mind, CRACKED also presents . . .**

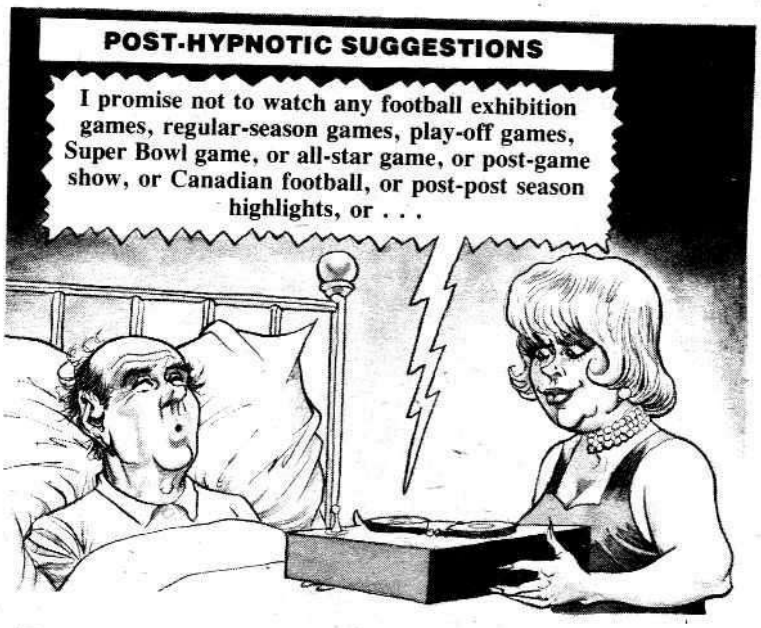
# ACCESSORIES FOR FOOTBALL WIDOWS

## THE SUBSTITUTE HAND-HOLDER

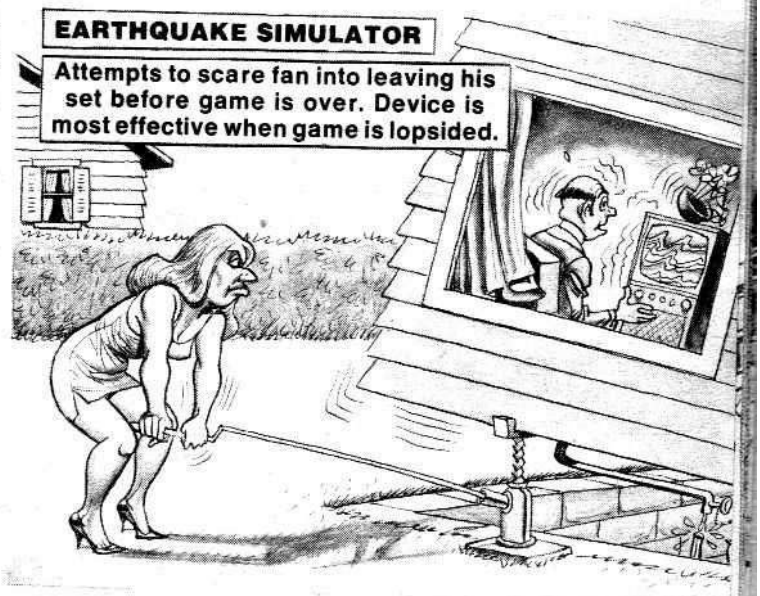
## SUPER HOTPANTS



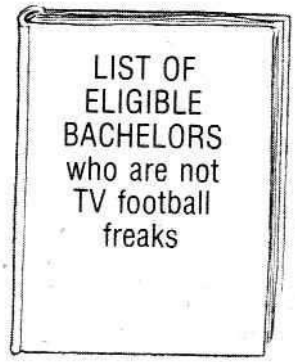

## POST-HYPNOTIC SUGGESTIONS




## EARTHQUAKE SIMULATOR



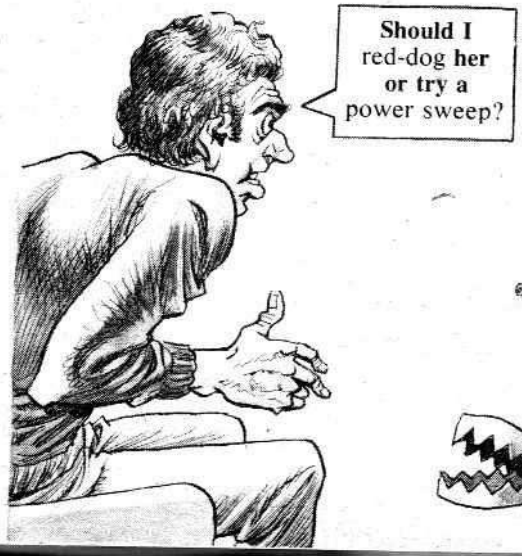

## PROSPECTIVE BOYFRIEND BOOK




**List includes all 137 who are to be found within the continental limits of the United States.**

## DESPERATION MEASURE KIT

**For keeping football addicts away from TV set.**



QUESTION: How do you make a slow seagull fast?
ANSWER: You don't give him anything to eat!

# THE STARRY-EYED ASTRONOMERS

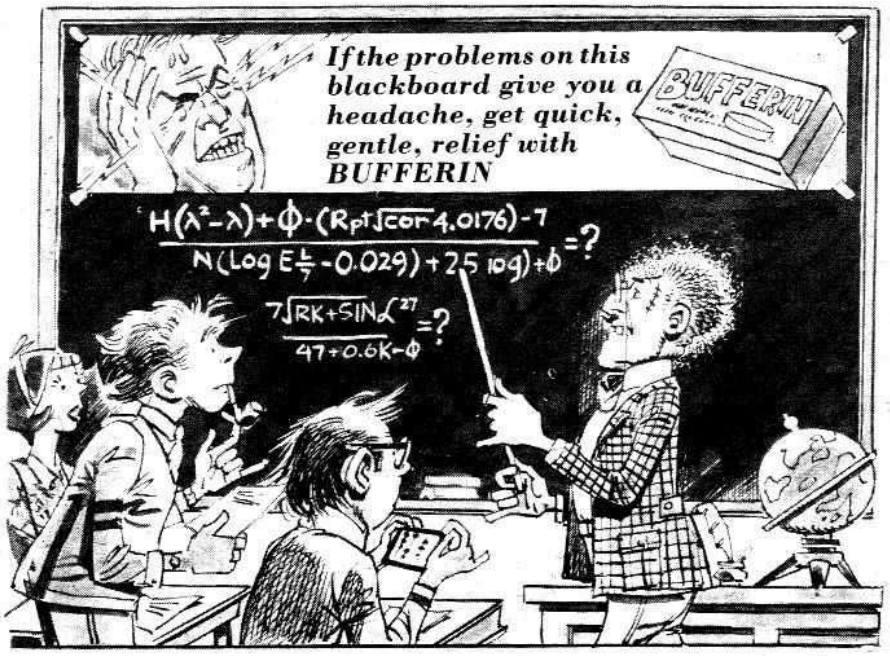
**SCHOOL DAZE SECTION:**

**All over the nation, schools are in dire financial straits. As a result, schools find themselves curtailing many programs and services, offering split sessions, cutting back on teachers, etc. As a solution to the problem, some unrealistic daydreamers have suggested we spend some of the billions now being squandered on bombs for our schools. CRACKED shuns such impractical advice. Instead, CRACKED believes we need sound suggestions, like . . .**

# SUGGESTIONS FOR OVERCOMING THE SCHOOL CRISIS!

BERNARD BAILY

**Since schools are in desperate need of money, the selling of advertising space in our schools would provide much needed revenue . . .**



# SUGGESTIONS FOR SAVING MONEY

Save money on water bills by putting all fountains out of reach of students.

Save money by shutting down schools on every conceivable holiday including: GROUND HOG DAY SADIE HAWKINS DAY & SPIRO AGNEW'S BIRTHDAY

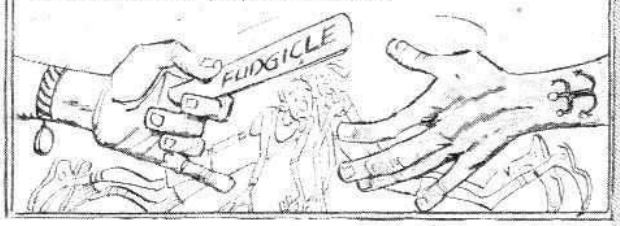
Save money on chalk by recycling chalk dust

Save money on library books by inviting Birchers, Communists, and all special interest groups to ban any books they desire

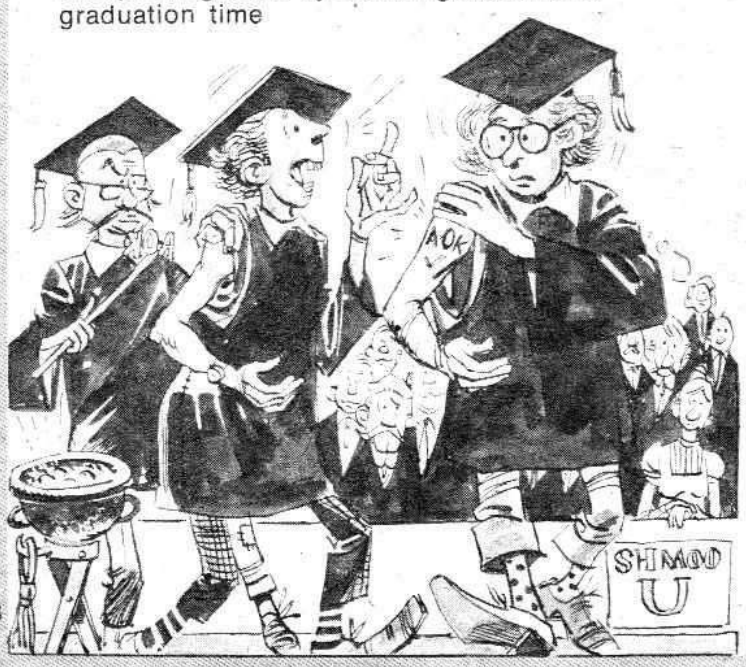
Save money on costly sports trophies by encouraging teams to perform poorly

Save money on paper by recycling scrap paper.

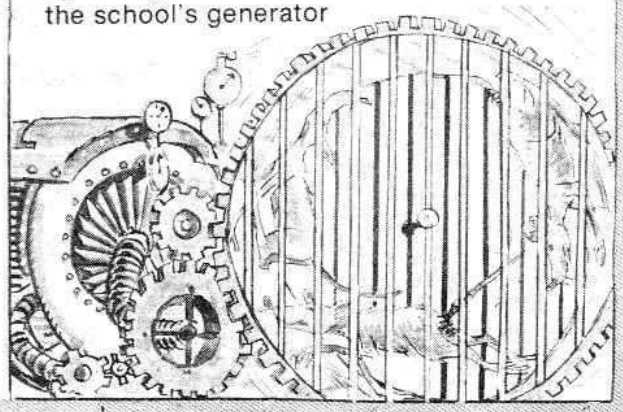
Save money on batons by making the relay team use old popsicle sticks




Save money on expensive diploma paper and printing costs by branding students at graduation time




Save on electric bills in ghetto schools by having the rats in the lunchroom run the school's generator

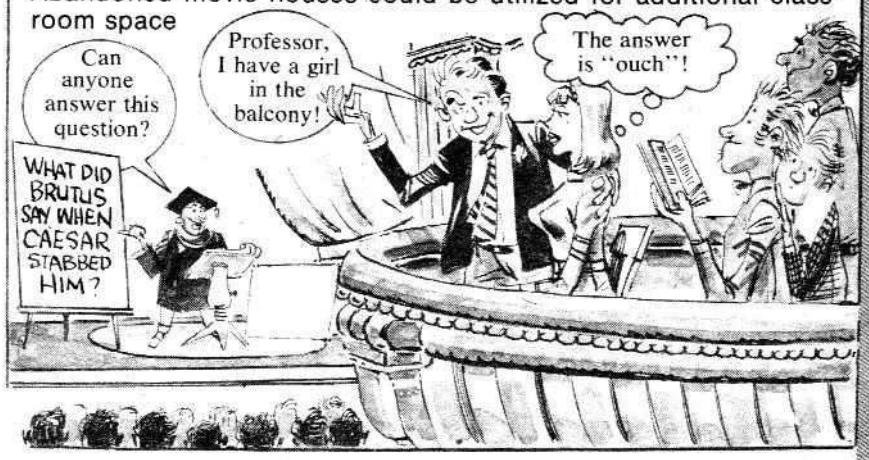


# SUGGESTIONS FOR SOLVING SPACE PROBLEMS

Classroom capacities can be doubled by instituting double-decker seats

The use of telescopes would enable students to attend classes where classroom space is not available

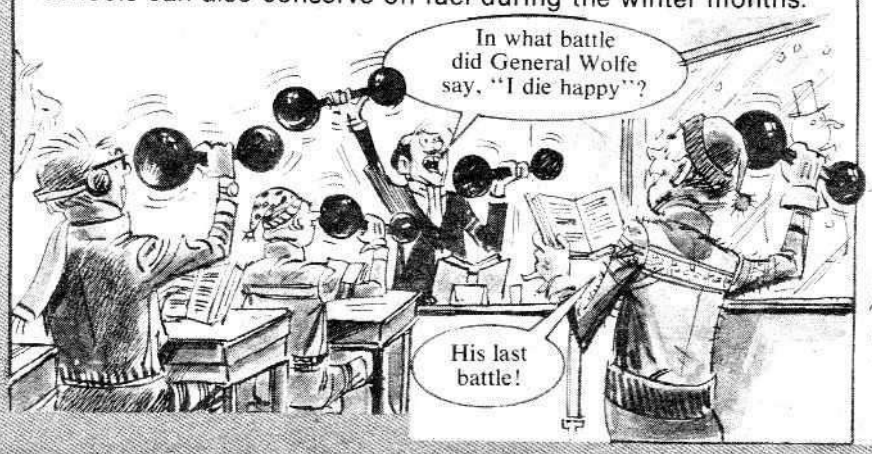
Abandoned movie houses could be utilized for additional classroom space




Classroom space can be conserved by combining certain classes like typing and karate.

And additional classrooms can be rented out from the phone company at a reasonable rate of only 10¢ for each three minutes.

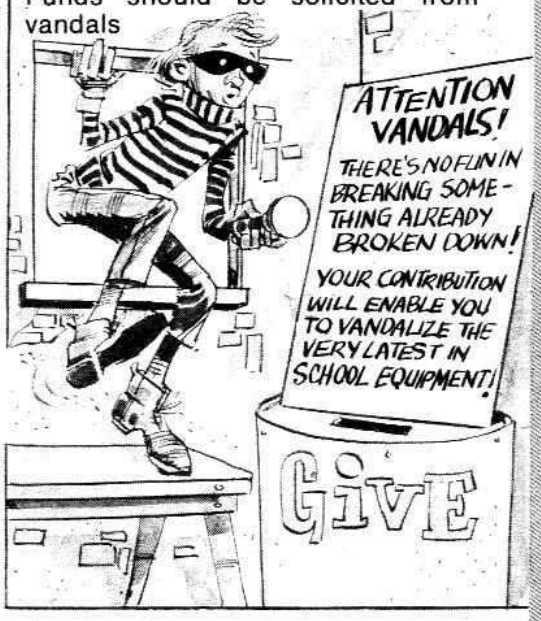
By combining gym exercises with regular classroom work, schools can also conserve on fuel during the winter months.



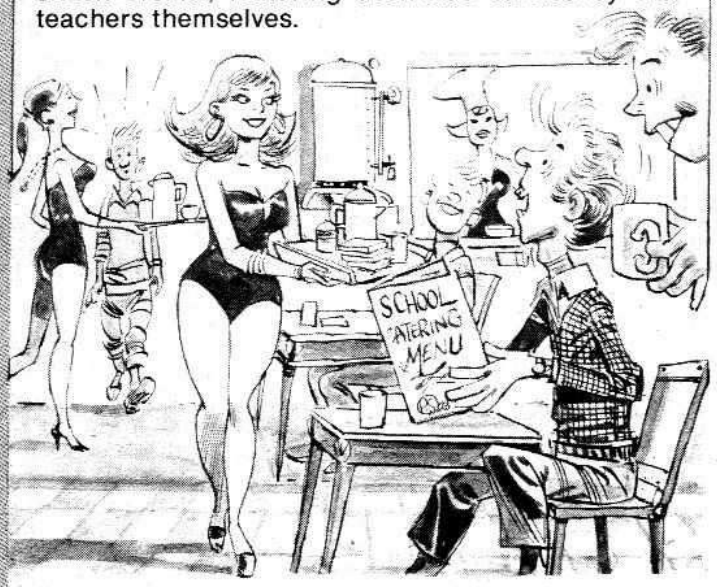
# MORE SUGGESTIONS FOR RAISING SCHOOL REVENUE

Special privileges should be sold to status-conscious students

Funds should be solicited from vandals




Classes should be interrupted with fund-raising snack breaks, featuring desk-side service by the teachers themselves.

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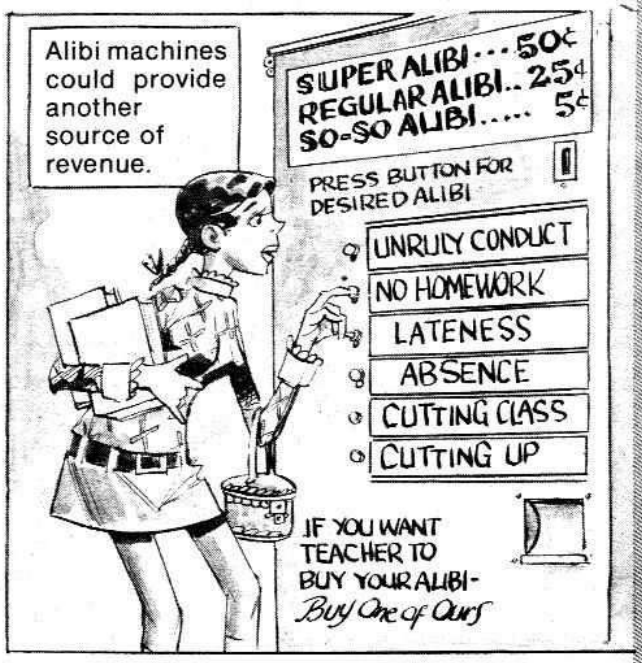


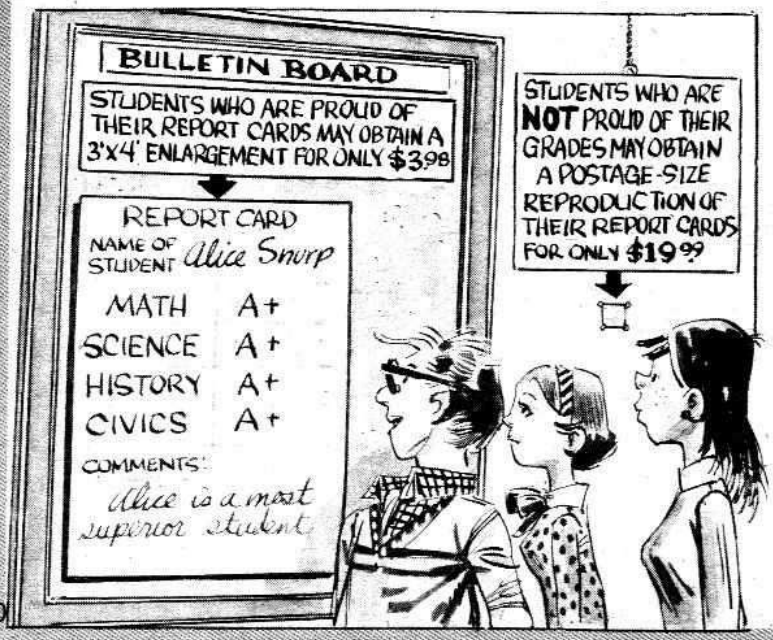


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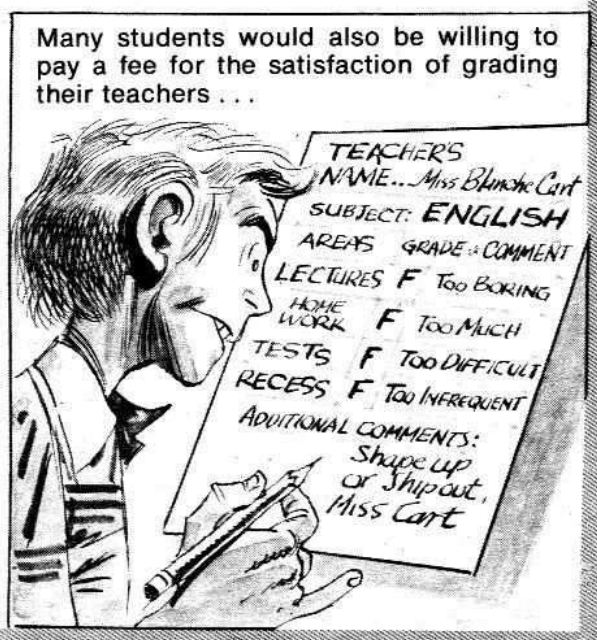

**Whenever you go to the movies, don't you just marvel at all those classy car chase scenes and great fist fights? Well, if you think the big marquee names are really the ones you're looking at, you're wrong. In fact, you're wrong! wrong! wrong!! To find out who that real star behind the stars is, come with us now as . . .**

# CRACKED *interviews the* STUNT KING

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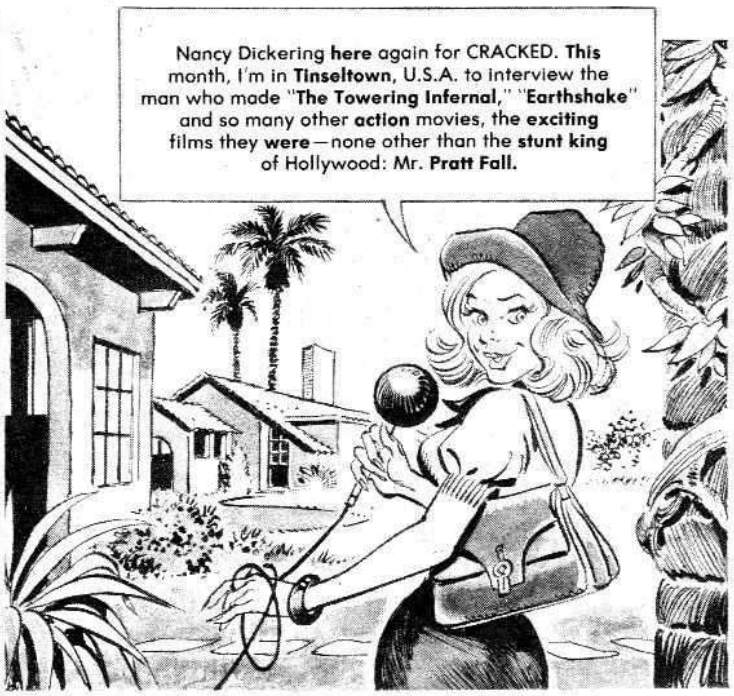
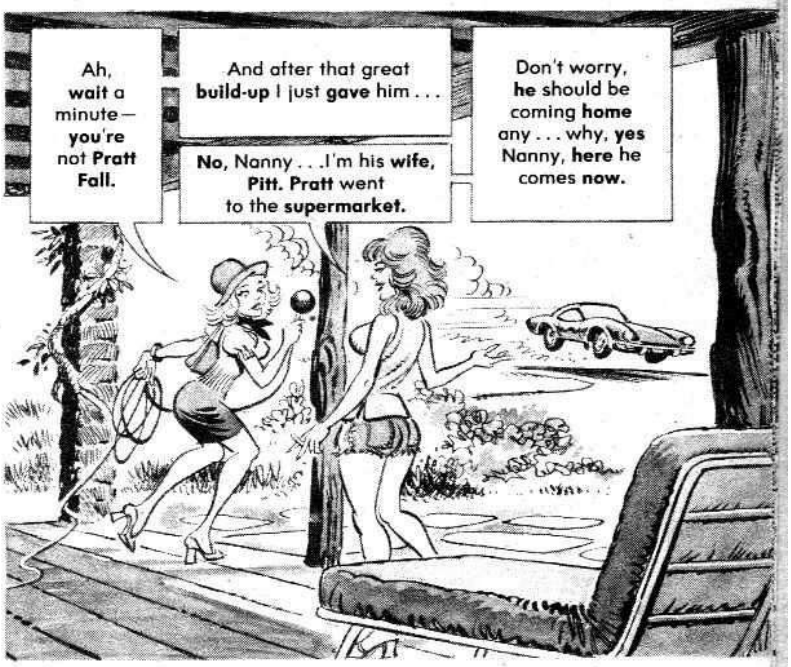
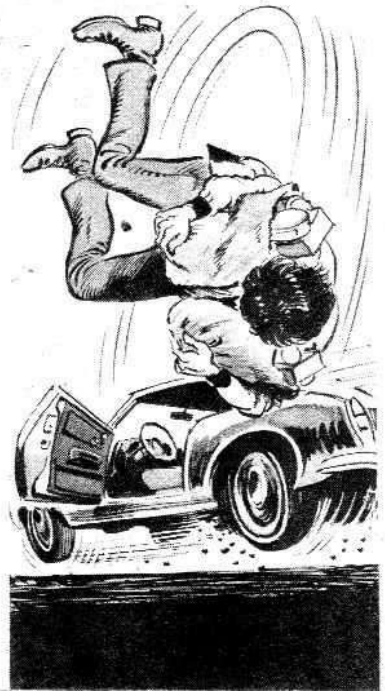
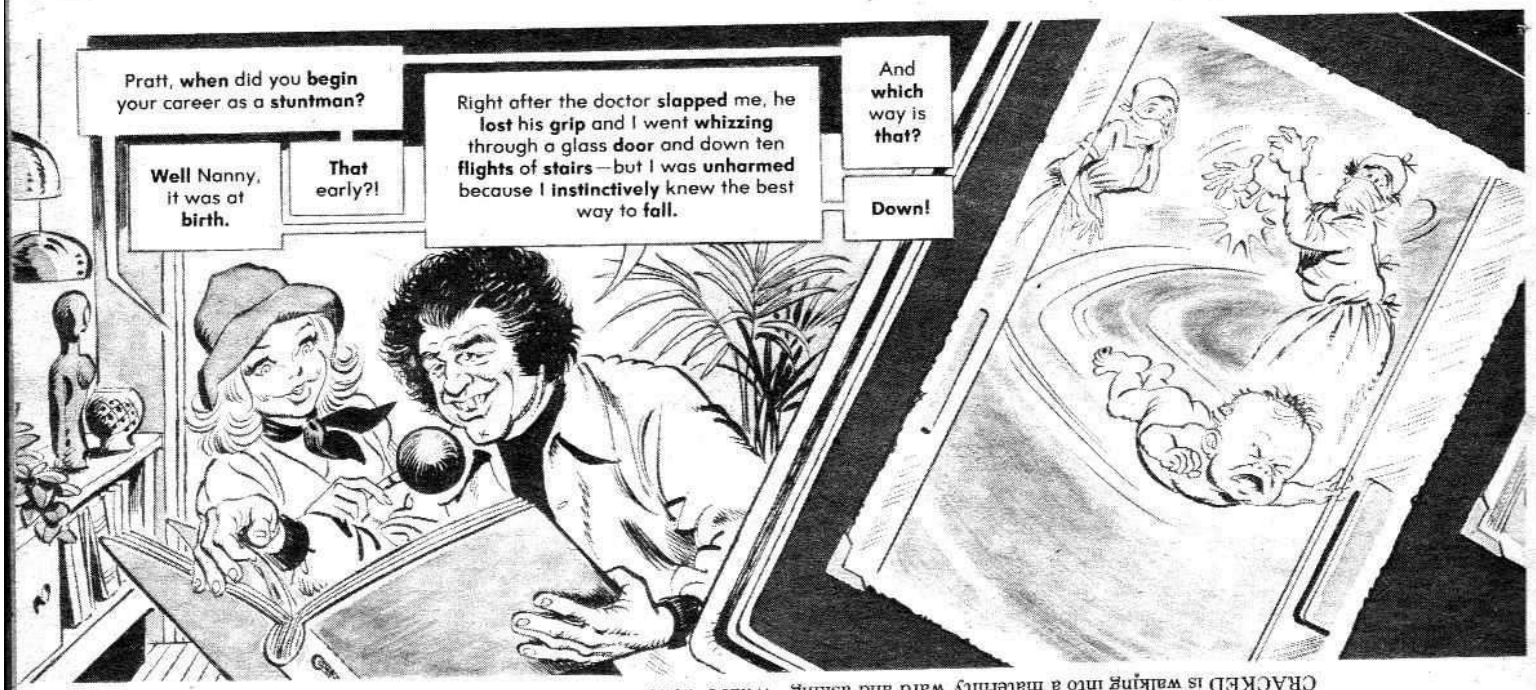
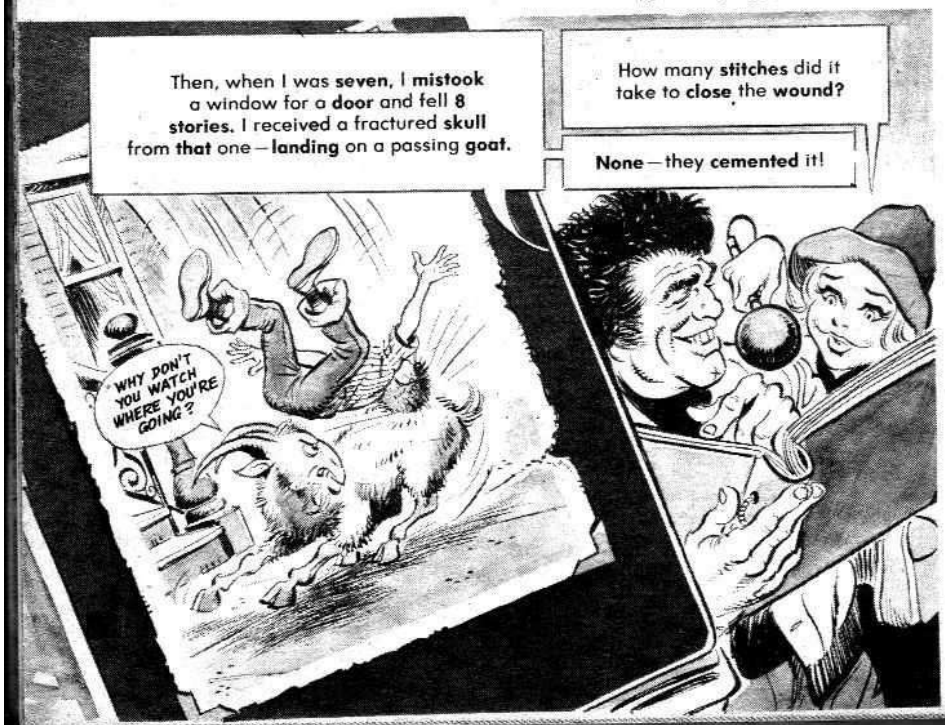


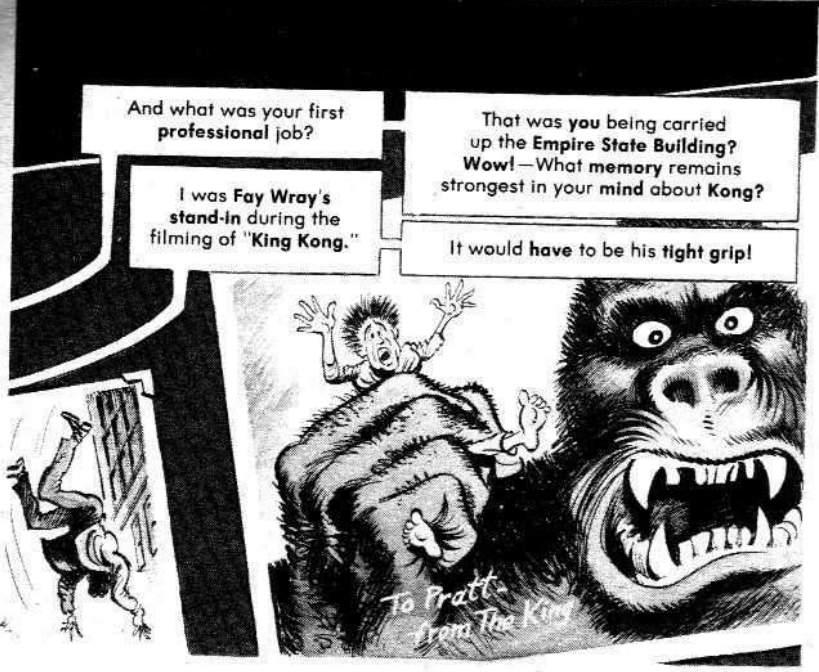



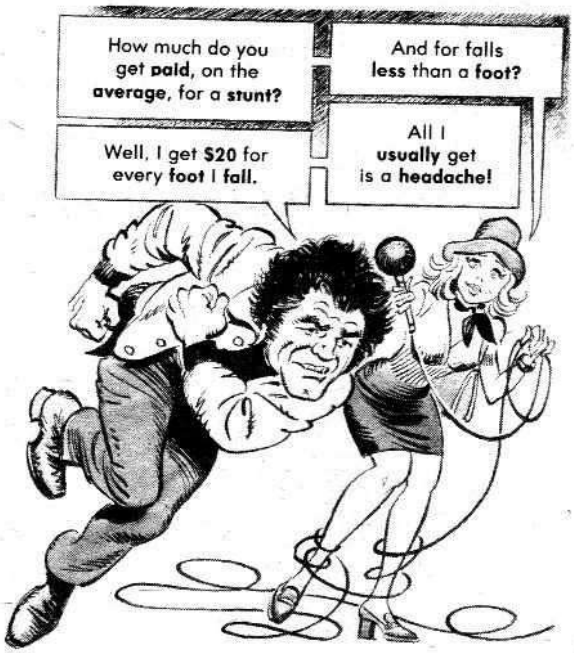


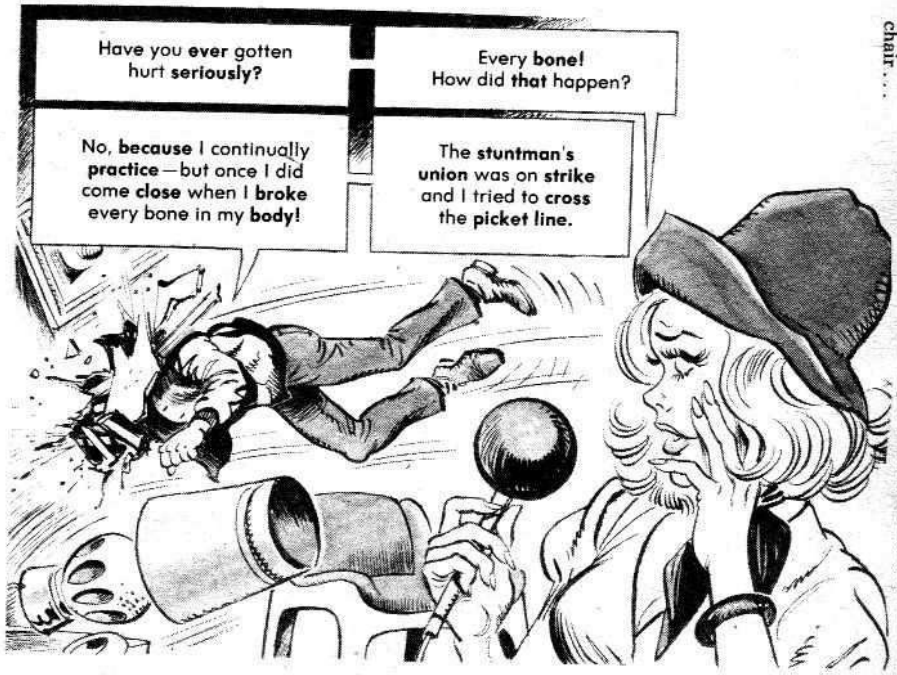



CRACKED is walking into a maternity ward and asking "What's new?"







CRACKED is shaking the ancient to put a lion on the chair...

What's **this** picture **here?**

That's **me** and the family on **vacation** last **winter.**

**All** of you look **bandaged up.**

**That's** because we got hurt **landing.**

The **plane** crashed?

I don't **think** so . . . at least **not** while we were **on** it. We just decided to get **off** thirty minutes **before** it **arrived!**—Landed in a **tree!**

In more **detail,** could you tell my **readers** just what a **stuntman does.**

Stunts!

I know **that,** but could you give us an **example?**

**Look,** why don't I **take** you on the set of my newest **movie,** "**The Niagara Falls Caper,**" and **show** you.

Fine.

Say, isn't that **Paul Newman?**

**Yup,** that's who I'm **stunting** for. In **this** scene, Paul is **dared** into going over **Niagara Falls** in a **zip-lock bag**—and he **accepts.**

**All right,** you're **on.** I'm going **over** the **Falls.**

**Cut! Pratt,** get into **position!!**

O'Koffe ALE BEER

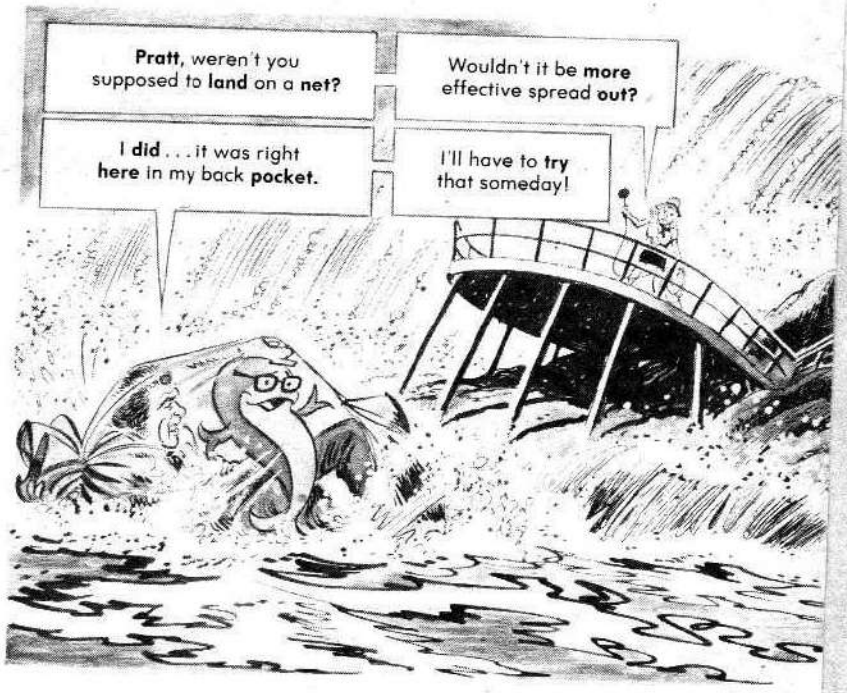
Meet me **down** at the **bottom,** Nann n n ny . . . y y y y y y y y y

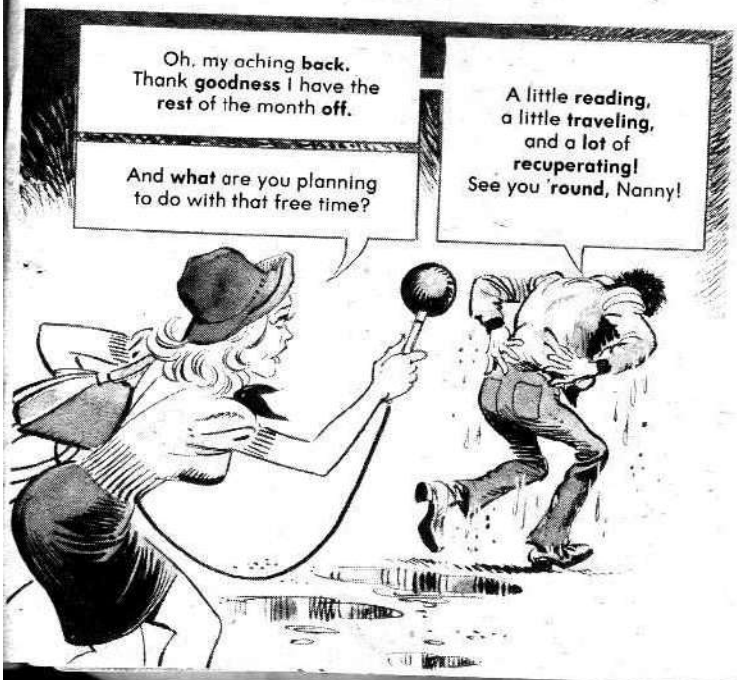
**Cut! Great** job, **Mr. Newman.**

But, **sir**—**Pratt** did all the **work.**

Honey, **he** was Paul's sub for **five tiny seconds!!!** O.K., everyone **back** to the **studio.**

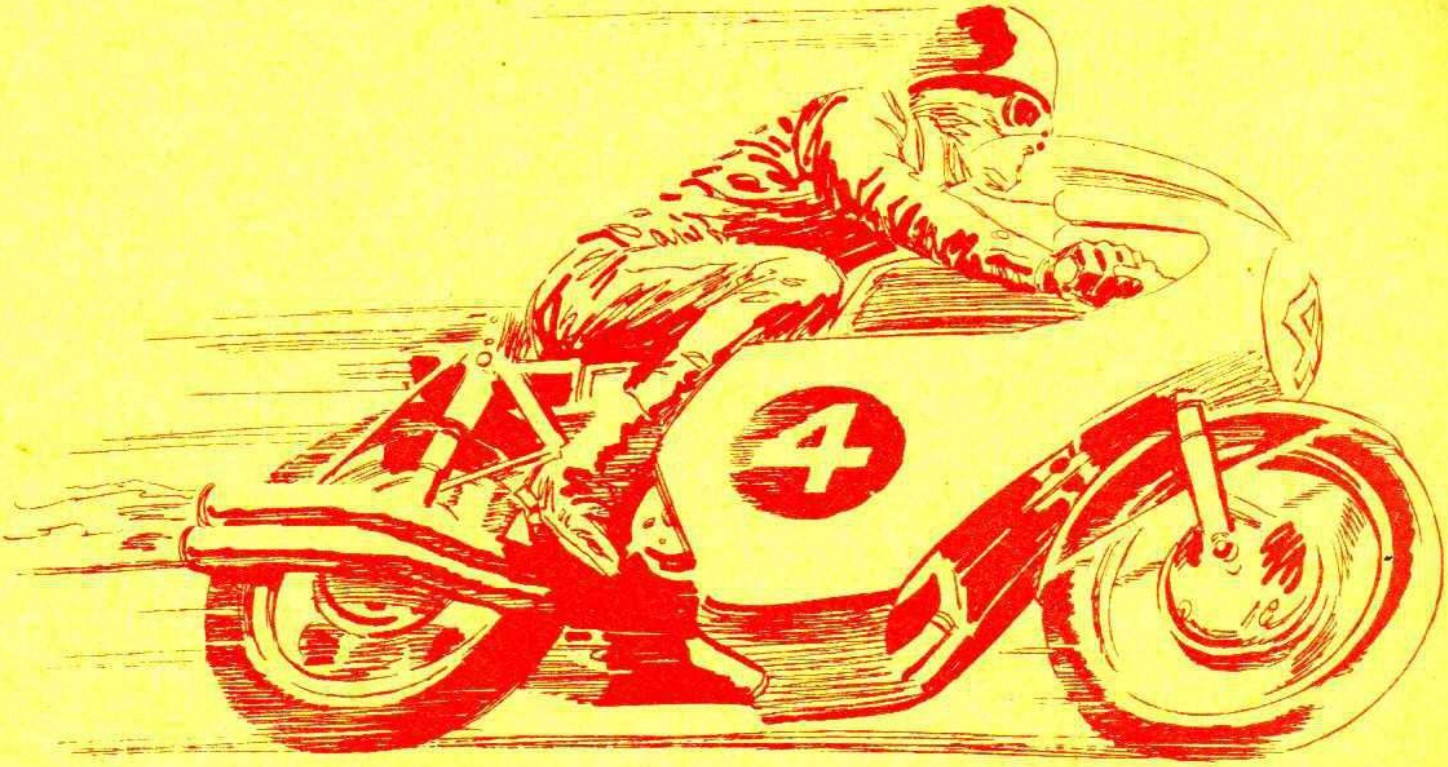
CRACKED is leaving the spoon in your cup of coffee, and poking yourself in the eye drinking it . . .

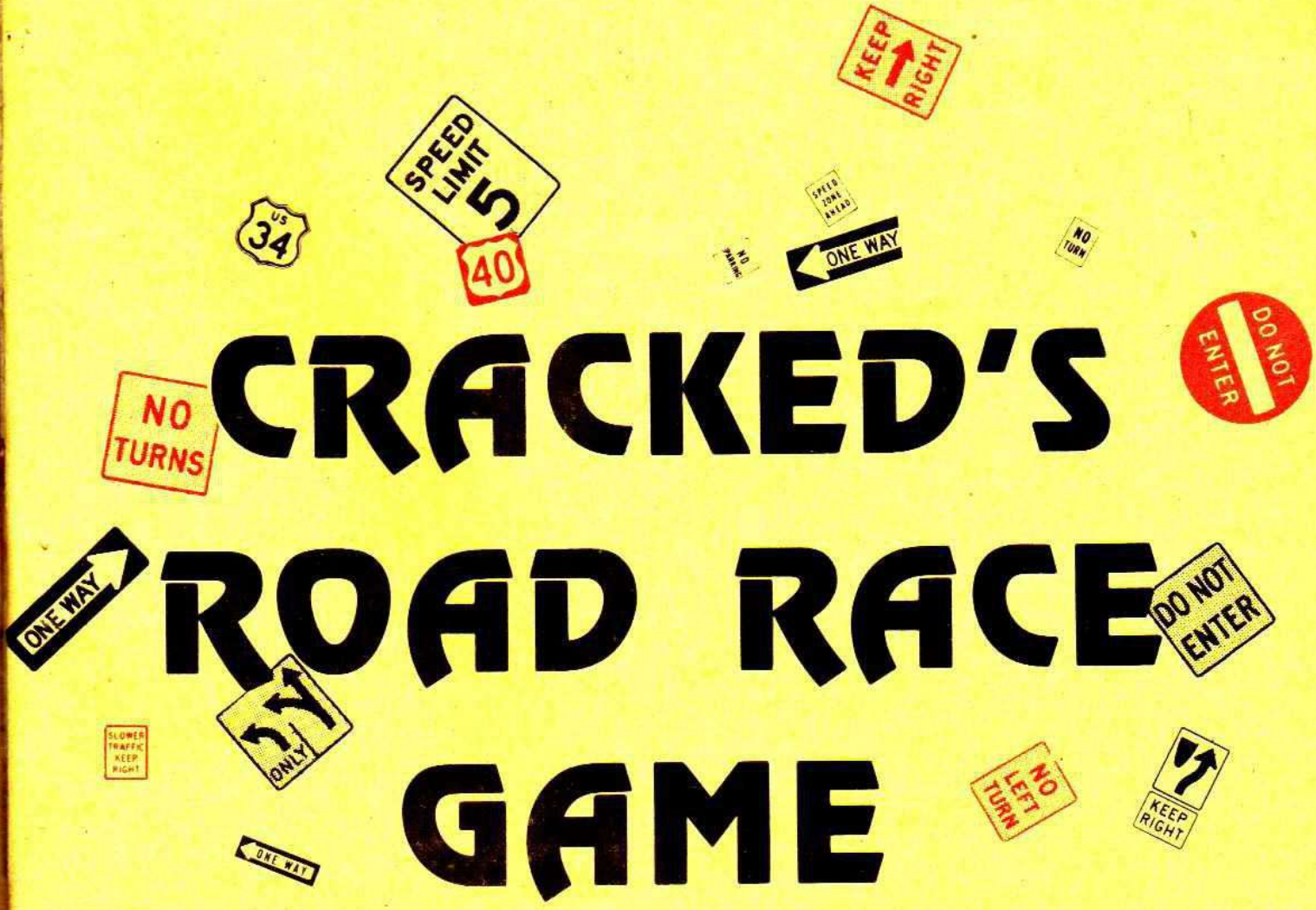


# SHUT-UPS

You there! Get back in the trumpet section where you belong! The curtain is about to go up!
SHUT-UP! I'm the janitor here!
I provide a good home—I don't drink or smoke—I'm home every night and yet all I get is NAGGING, NAGGING, NAGGING!
MARRIAGE COUNSELOR
SHUT-UP! You DESERVE to be nagged—a bigamist like you!
Daddy, can I have some water?
SHUT-UP! I'm not getting out the garden hose at two in the morning to fill up that dumb water bed!






# CRACKED'S ROAD RACE GAME

# RULES FOR CRACKED'S ROAD RACE GAME

**OBJECT:** YOU WILL BE PARTICIPATING IN THE RACE OF THE DECADE, OTHERWISE KNOWN AS THE CRACKED GRAND PRIX. WINNING THE RACE WILL HINGE ON YOUR ABILITY TO KEEP YOUR CAR IN THE FAST LANE BY AVOIDING EMERGENCY PIT STOPS AND ROAD DELAYS. THE OBJECT OF THE GAME IS TO BE THE FIRST PLAYER TO REACH THE EXIT SIGN.

**NUMBER OF PLAYERS:** ANY NUMBER OF PEOPLE CAN PARTICIPATE IN THE RACE PROVIDING YOU CAN ALL FIT IN A BEAT-UP '63 CHEVY.

**HOW TO PREPARE FOR RACE:** CUT OUT SAFETY AND EMERGENCY ZONE CARDS AND MAKE 2 SEPERATE STACKS. ALSO CUT OUT THE CARS TO USE FOR MARKERS. GET ONE DIE (THAT'S HALF A PAIR OF DICE) AND NOW YOU HAVE EVERYTHING THAT YOU'LL NEED TO BEGIN.

**HOW TO PLAY:** ALL PLAYERS MUST PLACE THEIR CARS AT THE TRAFFIC LIGHT. YOU ONLY GET THE GREEN LIGHT TO BEGIN BY ROLLING A 1, 2, OR 3. YOU MAY NOT BEGIN UNTIL YOU DO SO. WHEN IT'S YOUR TURN, ROLL THE DIE AND TRAVEL THE AMOUNT OF SQUARES INDICATED, OBEYING ALL THE ROAD SIGNS. WHEN YOU LAND ON A ROAD SIGN, YOU MUST ROLL ONE OF THE NUMBERS SHOWN TO PROCEED. IF YOU LAND ON A TWO-WAY ARROW, SLIDE EITHER FORWARD OR BACKWARD TO THE OPPOSITE END OF THE ARROW.

**SAFETY ZONE AND EMERGENCY ZONE CARDS:** IF YOU LAND ON ONE OF THESE SQUARES, DRAW A CARD, DO AS DIRECTED, THEN RETURN CARD TO BOTTOM OF THE PILE. A REPAIR CARD IS TO BE HELD AND USED IN PLACE OF DRAWING AN EMERGENCY ZONE CARD. OF COURSE, ONCE YOU USE THE REPAIR CARD, RETURN IT TO THE BOTTOM OF THE PILE.

**WINNING:** A PLAYER WINS WHEN HE'S THE FIRST ONE TO REACH THE EXIT SIGN. YOU MUST ROLL THE EXACT NUMBER REQUIRED TO LAND **ON** THE EXIT SIGN TO WIN.

**O.K.** START YOUR ENGINES BECAUSE YOU ARE ABOUT TO GO ON ONE OF THE ZANIEST RIDES OF YOUR LIFE. THE RACE IS ON AND BE CAREFUL NOT TO CRACK-UP!

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SELL CAR TO PAY FOR AUTO INSURANCE — GOOD THINKING.

ROLL AGAIN.

YOU NEVER HAD A CAR ACCIDENT BECAUSE YOU ALWAYS TRAVEL BY TRAIN AND BUS.

MOVE AHEAD THREE.

YOU WANTED 4 BUCKET SEATS BUT ALL YOU GOT IS BUCKETS FOR SEATS. SAVE A LOT OF MONEY.

MOVE AHEAD 1.

YOU DRIVE A CAR A LOT LIKE YOU DRIVE A BICYCLE — DOING WHEELIES.

RACE AHEAD 3.

YOU'RE SO WEALTHY THAT WHEN YOUR CAR NEEDS AN OIL CHANGE YOU CHANGE THE CAR.

ROLL AGAIN.

YOUR CAR WARRANTY IS IN EFFECT FOR ONE YEAR OR 12,000 MILES OR UNTIL SOMETHING BREAKS.

ROLL AGAIN.

YOUR FRENCH SPORTS CAR IS SO GOOD IT CAN STOP ON A FRANC.

ROLL AGAIN.

ORDER GENUINE LEATHER SEATS FOR YOU CAR. FACTORY PUTS COW IN BACKSEAT.

MOO-VE AHEAD TWO.

YOU OWN 4 CARS: JAGUAR, COUGAR, MUSTANG, AND A RABBIT. HUMANE SOCIETY GIVES YOU 40 LBS. OF ANIMAL FEED. KINDNESS PAYS OFF.

ROLL AGAIN.

EMPLOYER COMPLIMENTS YOU FOR DOING AN EXCELLENT JOB AS A PARKING LOT ATTENDANT. YOU'RE DOING A BANG UP JOB.

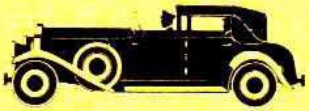
ROLL AGAIN.

YOU'RE PATRIOTIC AND DECIDE TO BUY AN AMERICAN MADE CAR. YOU'RE PATRIOTIC — BUT STUPID! LOYALTY REWARDED,

MOVE AHEAD 3.

YOU TELL FRIENDS YOU HAVE A NEW SPORTS CAR BUT ALL THEY SEE IS A BASKETBALL, BAT, GLOVE, AND BOWLING BALL IN BACK SEAT OF AN OLD JALOPY.

ROLL AGAIN.



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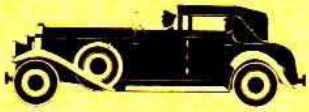

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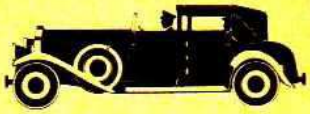

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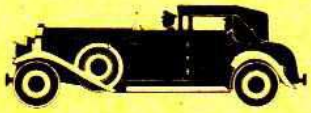

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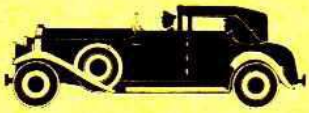

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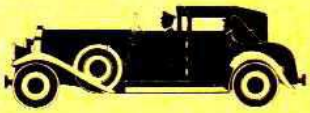

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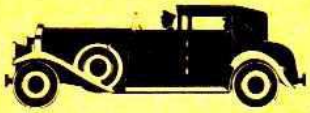

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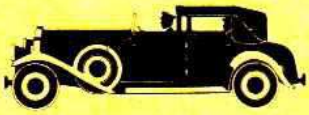

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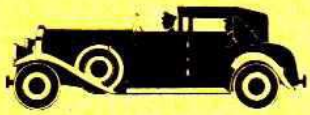

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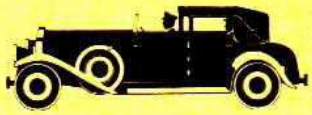

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YOU HAVE THE MOST "CURRENT" CAR — IT'S ELECTRIC.

CHARGE AHEAD 2 SPACES.

EXPRESS LANE. MOVE AHEAD 4.

YOUR CAR IS AS PRETTY AS A SMILE — IT HAS A LOT OF DENTS. ROLL AGAIN.

MOVE TO NEXT SAFETY ZONE.

CAR GETS A TUNE-UP BY FAMOUS MUSICIAN.

ROLL AGAIN.

YOU BELIEVE IN TRUTH IN ADVERTISING LAW IN BUSINESS AND START SELLING LEMONADE NEXT TO YOUR USED CAR LOT. HONESTY REWARDED —

MOVE AHEAD 4 SPACES.

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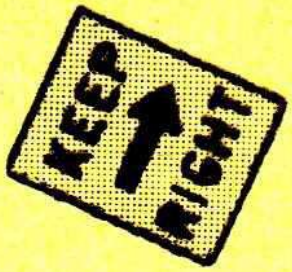
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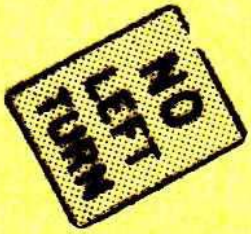
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SAFETY ZONE CARDS

# CRAC
# ROAD RA

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| EXIT<br>FINISH | | HILL<br>Roll die and move backwards. | | EMERGENCY ZONE CARD |
| | TWO WAY | SAFETY ZONE CARD | YIELD<br>Roll 3, 4, or 6. | |
| EMERGENCY ZONE CARD | ROAD CLOSED<br>Roll 2, 4, or 6. | | | NO TRUCKS<br>Roll 1, 2, or 5. |
| NO PASSING ZONE<br>Roll 1, 3, or 4. | | R R<br>Wait. Roll 1, 2, or 4. | SAFETY ZONE CARD | TWO |
| Wait. Roll 1, 4, or 6. | EMERGENCY ZONE CARD | TWO WAY | | BOTCH'S REPAIR SHOP |
| To start, roll a 1, 2, or 3. | | SAFETY ZONE CARD | | |

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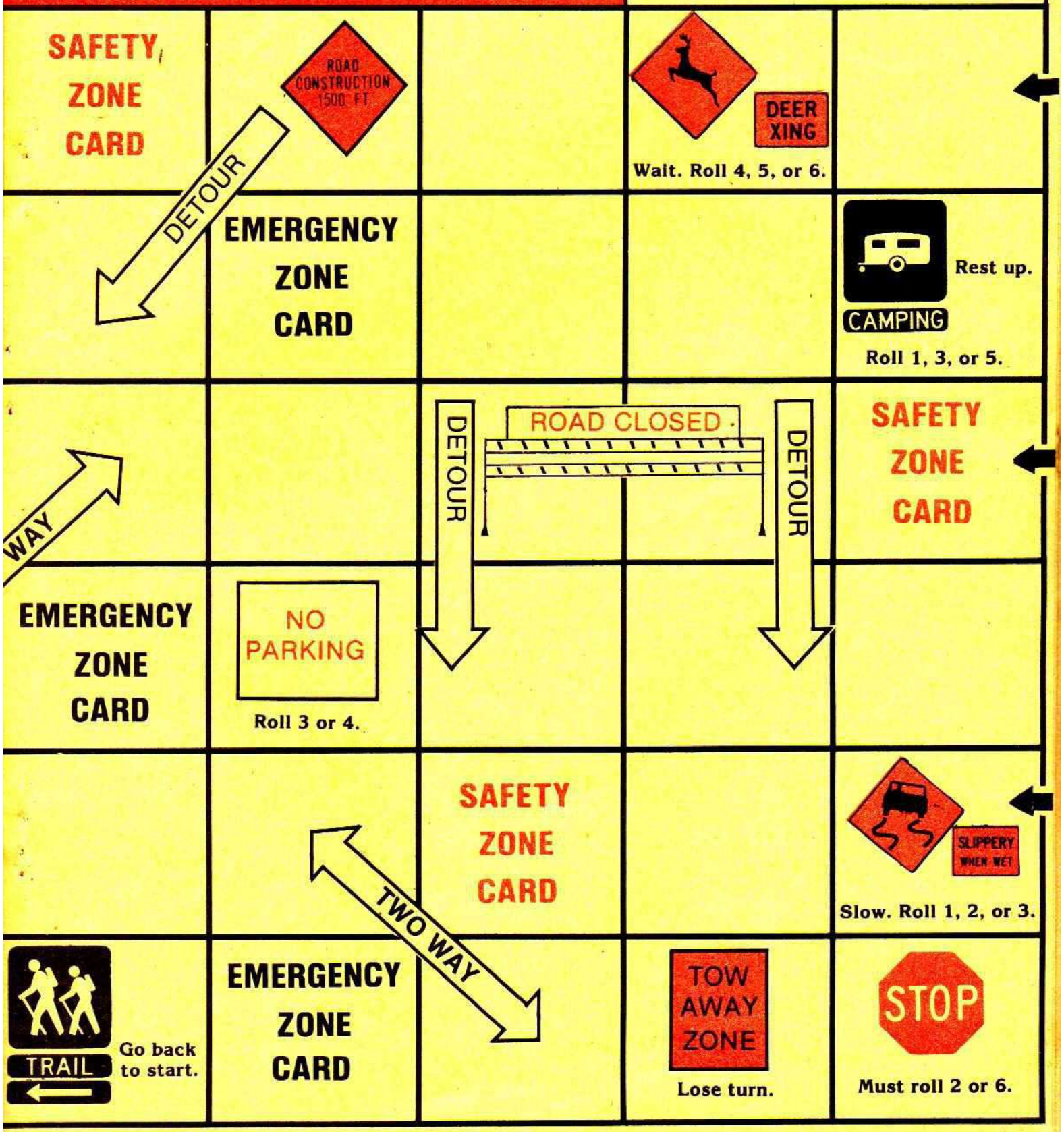
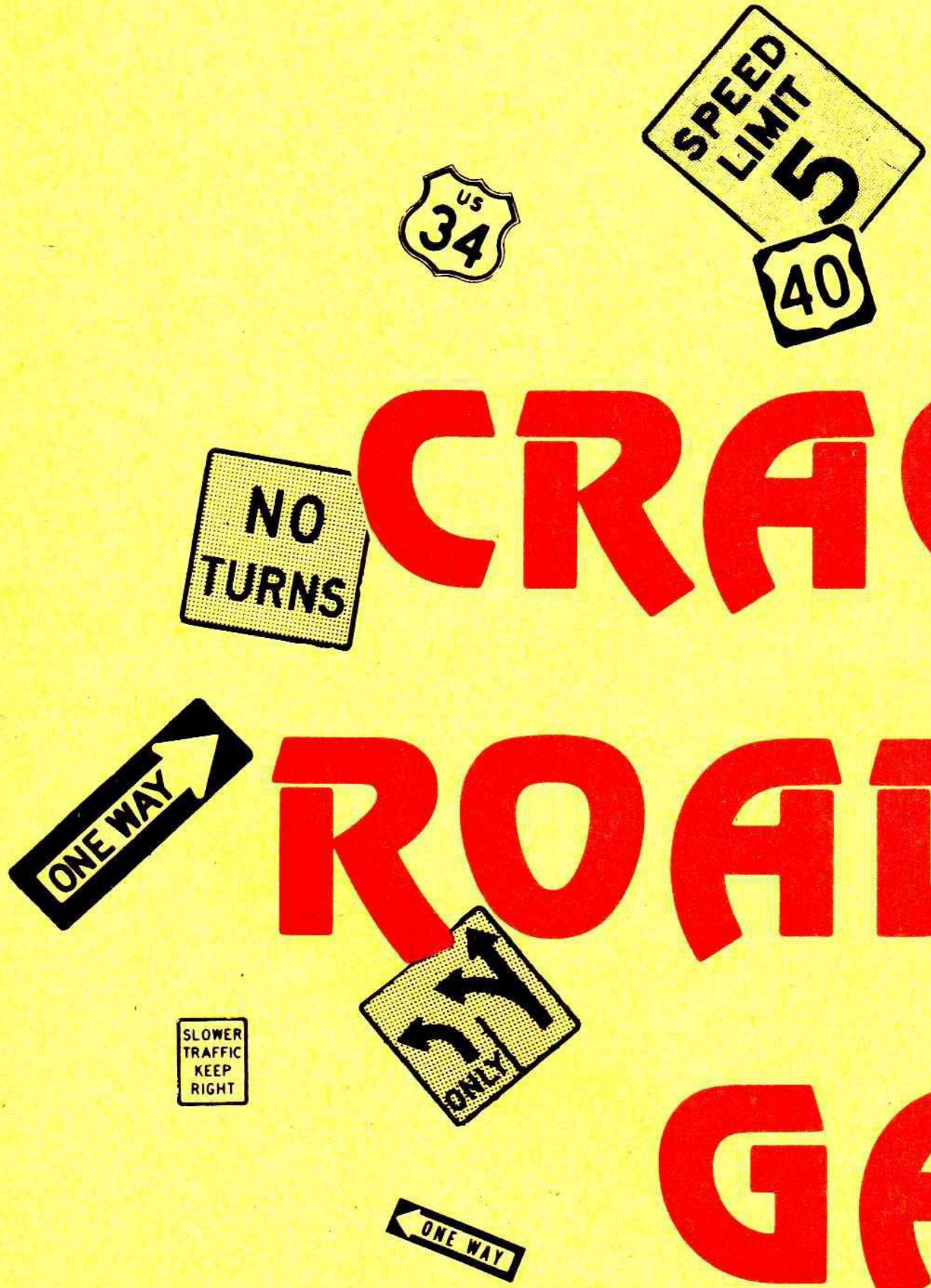
## EMERGENCY ZONE CARDS

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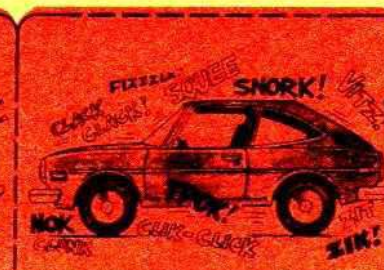


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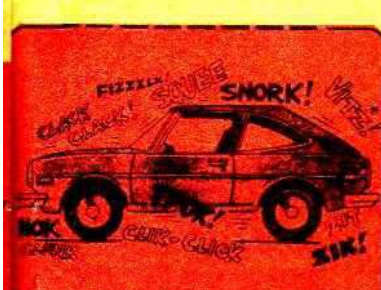


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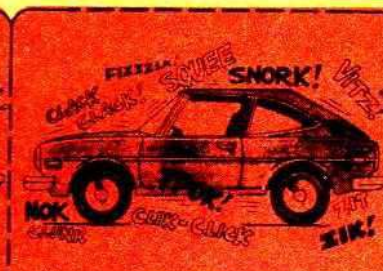


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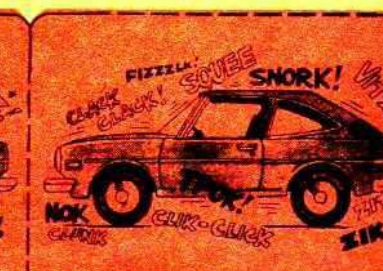


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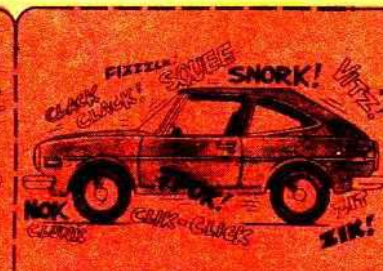


EMERGENCY ZONE CARD

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CAR BREAKS DOWN ON HIGHWAY.

GO TO REPAIR SHOP.

YOU DOUBLE PARK IN FRONT OF A POLICE STATION. YOU'VE GOT NERVE AND A TICKET.

LOSE TURN.

YOU GET LOST WHILE READING ROAD MAP. NEVER DRIVE AND READ AT THE SAME TIME.

LOSE TURN.

TIRE GOES FLAT WHEN YOU DRIVE OVER A TREE LEAF.

LOSE TURN.

YOUR CAR IS SO BAD, THE ONLY THING THAT DOESN'T BREAK IS THE BRAKES.

GO TO REPAIR SHOP.

CAR GETS A FLAT. LOSE TURN.

YOU SEE A FORK IN THE ROAD, DECIDE TO EAT DINNER WITH IT. WASTE TIME.

LOSE TURN.

YOUR CAR IS SO SLOW THAT A KID ON ROLLER SKATES PASSES YOU BY ON THE HIGHWAY.

LOSE TURN.

YOU NEW CAR GOES FROM 0 TO 50 IN 6 DAYS.

GO TO TOW AWAY ZONE.

TELL TOYOTA THAT ALL JAPANESE CARS LOOK ALIKE. THEY GET INSULTED AND IMPOUND YOUR CAR. MAKE EMERGENCY PHONE CALL.

GO TO TELEPHONE AREA.

YOU BELIEVE THAT THE SIGN FINE FOR PARKING MEANS IT'S A GREAT PLACE TO PARK.

LOSE TURN AND ALMOST LOSE CAR.

YOU USE PLEDGE TO WAXYOURCAR 'CAUSE IT'S A LEMON. ROLL DIE AND MOVE BACKWARDS.

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THE ONE PART OF YOUR CAR THAT DOESN'T MAKE NOISE IS THE HORN. GET LARYNGITIS. REST UP AND

LOSE TURN.

DOG CHASES YOUR CAR — GUESS WHAT? IT CAUGHT IT.

LOSE TURN.

SPEEDING TICKET — GO BACK 5 SPACES.

THE ONLY THING INFLATION HASN'T AFFECTED IS YOUR TIRES.

GO TO REPAIR SHOP.

YOU STICK OUT HAND TO MAKE A LEFT TURN AND SMACK A POLICE OFFICER IN THE FACE.

LOSE 2 TURNS.

MOVING VIOLATION.

LOSE TURN.

LICENSE EXPIRES.

LOSE TURN.

SIGN — BEWARE OF DITCH. YOU ARE SO BUSY WATCHING FOR DITCH, YOU CRASH INTO SIGN. REPAIRS FORCE YOU TO LOSE A TURN.

YOU GET CAR SICK. EVERYTIME YOU SEE YOUR CAR, YOU GET SICK.

LOSE TURN.

CHRYSLER RECALLS YOUR CAR DUE TO FAULTY LACK OF PAYMENTS. ROLL DIE AND MOVE BACKWARDS.

TRAVEL BROADENS YOU. SINCE OWNING A CAR, YOU'VE GAINED 60 LBS. ROLL DIE AND MOVE BACKWARDS IF YOU CAN.

YOUR CAR GETS 40 M.P.G. — MORE PROBLEMS PER GALLON. ROLL DIE AND MOVE BACKWARDS.

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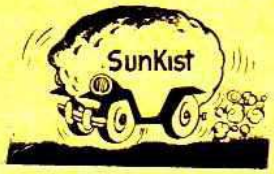


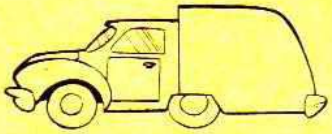

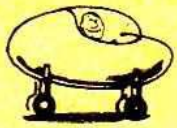

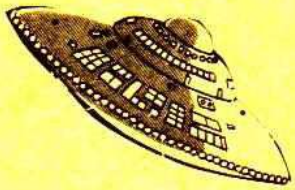

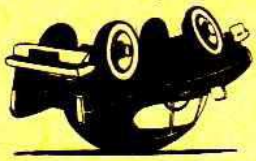

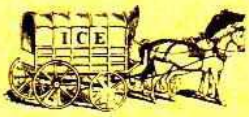

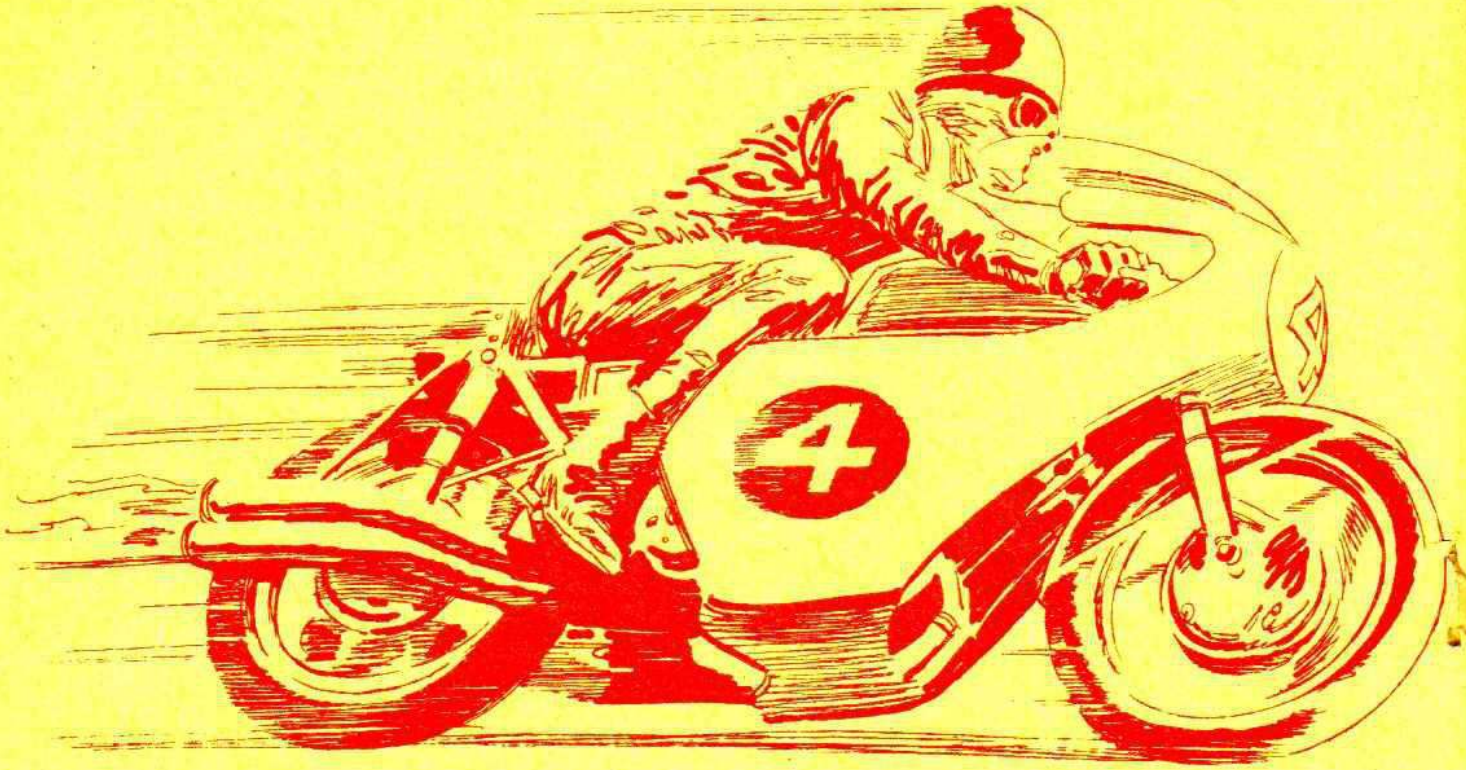

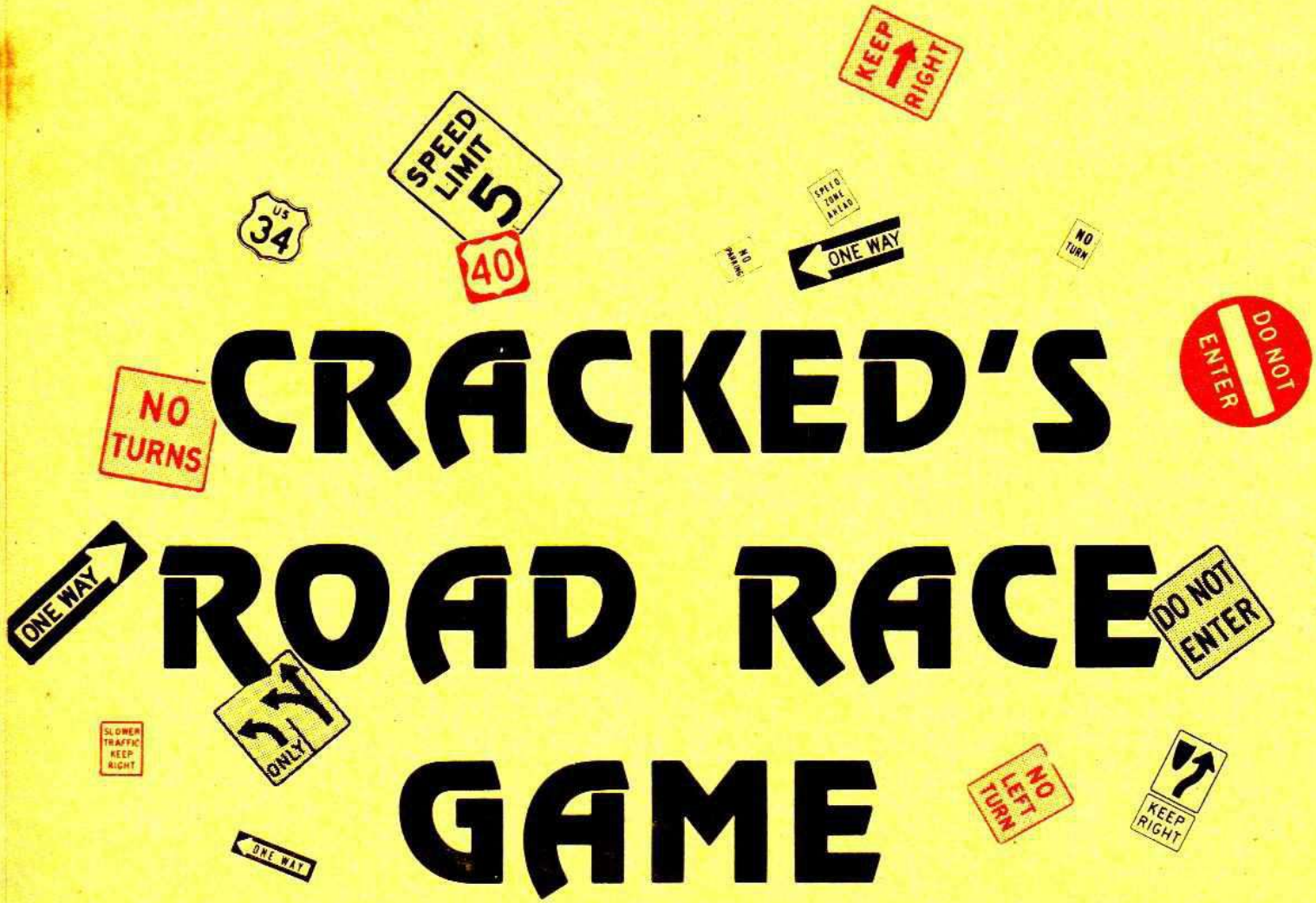


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